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L4	11	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L3 AND SLOW(4A)RELEASE?
L6	16001	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	DELAYED-ACTION PREPARATIONS+NT/CT
L7	210	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L3 AND L6
L8	4550	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	ACNE VULGARIS+NT/CT
L9	41206	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	DERMATITIS+NT/CT
L10	3	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	(L4 OR L7) AND (L8 OR L9)
L11	7	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	(L4 OR L7) AND AE/CT
L12	135546	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	DOSE-RESPONSE RELATIONSHIP, DRUG+NT/CT
L13	373	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L3 AND L12
L14	2	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L13 AND VESTIBULAR
L15	10	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L13 AND (L8 OR L9)
L16	2109	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L3(L)AE/CT
L18	186	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L16 AND L8
L19	3112	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L3(L)AD/CT
L20	44	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L18 AND L19
L21	1	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L20 AND VESTIBULAR
L22	356	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L16 AND L19
L23	6	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L22 AND VESTIBULAR
L24	8062	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	VESTIBULE+NT/CT
L25	2	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L22 AND L24
L26	25	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L3 AND L24
L27	0	SEA FILE=MEDLINE ABB=ON	L26 AND (L8 OR L9)
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L31	5711	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	ACNE+NT/CT
L32	808	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	L30 AND L31
L33	0	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	L32 AND SLOW(4A)RELEASE?
L34	1	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	VESTIBUL? AND L32
L35	21091	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	VESTIBULAR DISORDER+NT/CT
L36	14	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	L32 AND L35
L40	11361	SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON	SUSTAINED RELEASE PREPARATION+NT/ CT

L41 1 SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON L32 AND L40  
 L42 15 SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON L33 OR L34 OR L36 OR L41  
 L43 0 SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON L30 AND L35 AND L40  
 L44 15 SEA FILE=EMBASE ABB=ON L42 OR L43

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=> D QUE L77

L45 1540 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON TETRACYCLINE?  
 L46 2648 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON ACNE  
 L47 28 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L45 AND L46  
 L49 3 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L47 AND RELEAS?  
 L50 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L45 AND VESTIBUL?  
 L52 68 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L45 AND RELEAS?(4A) (SLOW OR  
 CONTROL? OR DELAY? OR SUSTAIN?)  
 L53 4 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L52 AND (DERMA? OR SKIN OR L46)  
 L54 25 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L52 AND ORAL?  
 L55 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON ANTIBIOTIC? AND L46 AND VESTIBUL?  
 L60 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L54 AND ADVERSE  
 L61 1 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L53 AND L54  
 L64 4 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L49 OR L50 OR L55 OR L60 OR L61  
 L65 24 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L45(4A)ORAL?  
 L66 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L46 AND L65  
 L67 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L65 AND (DERMA? OR SKIN OR L46)  
 L68 345 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON ORAL?(4A)ANTIBIOTIC?  
 L69 6 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L68 AND L46  
 L70 45 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON (L65 OR L68) AND (RELEAS? OR  
 DISSOLV?)  
 L71 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L70 AND (ADVERSE OR SIDE) (2W)EFFEC  
 T?  
 L72 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L70 AND VESTIBUL?  
 L75 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L70 AND L46  
 L76 0 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L70 AND (SKIN OR DERMA?)  
 L77 10 SEA FILE=WPIDS ABB=ON L64 OR L66 OR L67 OR L69 OR L71  
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L78	14015	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	TETRACYCLINE?
L79	41	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	L78(S)ACNE?
L81	143	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	ANTIBIOTIC?(L)ACNE?
L83	1	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	(L79 OR L81) AND VESTIBUL?
L85	1	SEA FILE=REGISTRY ABB=ON	MINOCYCLINE/CN
L86	1188	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	L85
L87	28	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	L86 AND ACNE
L93	17912	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	(DOSE OR DOSAGE) (4A)ORAL?
L94	0	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	L87 AND L93
L95	1	SEA FILE=HCAPLUS ABB=ON	L79 AND L93
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=> D QUE L102

L97	401	SEA FILE=BIOSIS ABB=ON	(TETRACYCLINE? OR ANTIBIOTIC?) AND ACNE
L98	92	SEA FILE=BIOSIS ABB=ON	L97 AND ORAL?
L100	1	SEA FILE=BIOSIS ABB=ON	L98 AND RELEASE?
L101	7	SEA FILE=BIOSIS ABB=ON	L98 AND SIDE EFFECTS/ST
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L103 ANSWER 1 OF 59 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 1998 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.

AN 97163058 EMBASE

TI Advances in dermatopharmacology - Strength and weakness of recently approved drugs (I).

AU Chang Y.-C.; Maibach H.I.

CS Dr. H.I. Maibach, Department of Dermatology, School of Medicine, University of California, Box 0989, San Francisco, CA 94143-0989, United States

SO International Journal of Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics, (1997) 35/5 (188-194).

Refs: 32

ISSN: 0946-1965 CODEN: ICTHEK

CY Germany, Federal Republic of

DT Journal

FS 013 Dermatology and Venereology

030 Pharmacology

039 Pharmacy

037 Drug Literature Index

038 Adverse Reactions Titles

LA English

SL English

AB We review some of the recently FDA approved drugs in dermatology, including masoprolol cream (topical treatment of actinic keratoses on the head and neck), topical azelaic acid (for acne), and doxepin cream (topical antipruritic agent), with emphasis on the clinical trials and adverse effects.

CT EMTAGS: therapy (0160); iatrogenic disease (0300); pharmacokinetics (0194); microorganism (0724); mammal (0738); human (0888); nonhuman (0777); oral drug administration (0181); topical drug administration (0186); article (0060); adverse drug reaction (0198)

Medical Descriptors:

\*skin disease: DT, drug therapy

drug use

dermatology

cream

actinic keratosis: DT, drug therapy

acne: DT, drug therapy

pruritus: DT, drug therapy

pruritus: SI, side effect

drug absorption

drug efficacy

erythema: SI, side effect

pain: SI, side effect

edema: SI, side effect

bleeding: SI, side effect

dry skin: SI, side effect

skin necrosis: SI, side effect

contact dermatitis: SI, side effect

skin allergy: SI, side effect

skin flora

antibacterial activity

drug blood level

atopic dermatitis: DT, drug therapy

drowsiness: SI, side effect

xerostomia: SI, side effect

headache: SI, side effect

fatigue: SI, side effect  
**vertigo: SI, side effect**  
 taste disorder: SI, side effect  
 human  
 nonhuman  
 oral drug administration  
 topical drug administration  
 clinical trial  
 article  
 Drug Descriptors:  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: CT, clinical trial  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: AD, drug administration  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: DT, drug therapy  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: PR, pharmaceutics  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: PK, pharmacokinetics  
 nordihydroguaiaretic acid: PD, pharmacology  
 azelaic acid: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 azelaic acid: CT, clinical trial  
 azelaic acid: AD, drug administration  
 azelaic acid: DT, drug therapy  
 azelaic acid: PK, pharmacokinetics  
 azelaic acid: PD, pharmacology  
 doxepin: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 doxepin: CT, clinical trial  
 doxepin: CR, drug concentration  
 doxepin: DT, drug therapy  
 doxepin: PK, pharmacokinetics  
 doxepin: PD, pharmacology  
 free radical: EC, endogenous compound  
 fluorouracil: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 fluorouracil: CT, clinical trial  
 fluorouracil: DT, drug therapy  
 retinoic acid: CT, clinical trial  
 retinoic acid: DT, drug therapy  
 benzoyl peroxide: CT, clinical trial  
 benzoyl peroxide: DT, drug therapy  
 erythromycin: CT, clinical trial  
 erythromycin: DT, drug therapy  
**tetracycline: CT, clinical trial**  
**tetracycline: DT, drug therapy**  
 histamine receptor: EC, endogenous compound  
 RN (nordihydroguaiaretic acid) 500-38-9; (azelaic acid) 123-99-9;  
 (doxepin) 1229-29-4, 1668-19-5; (fluorouracil) 51-21-8; (retinoic  
 acid) 302-79-4; (benzoyl peroxide) 94-36-0; (erythromycin) 114-07-8,  
 70536-18-4; (tetracycline) 60-54-8, 64-75-5  
 CN Actinex; Masoprolac; Tretinoin

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 AN 97:125268 BIOSIS  
 DN 99431771  
 TI Minocycline-induced intraoral pharmacogenic pigmentation: Case  
 reports and review of the literature.  
 AU Westbury L W; Najera A  
 CS 515 E. Micheltorena, Suite E, Santa Barbara, CA 93103, USA  
 SO Journal of Periodontology 68 (1). 1997. 84-91. ISSN: 0022-3492  
 LA English  
 PR Biological Abstracts Vol. 103 Iss. 007 Ref. 103914  
 AB Minocycline, a semi-synthetic **tetracycline**  
 antibiotic, is well documented as being associated with  
 pharmacogenic pigmentation of various tissues in humans and other  
 mammals. The most obvious of these are skin pigmentation, but  
 intraorally include "green" roots of erupted teeth, "black" roots of  
 extracted teeth, a dark stain of the crowns of fully developed teeth,

and "black" alveolar bone. This article presents five cases of "black" alveolar bone with photographic documentation of its progress. It also reviews the available English language literature on this phenomenon. The incidence of minocycline staining of alveolar bone is probably 2% of that population taking the drug for 2 months or longer. Presently, minocycline is most widely used in the young adult population for the treatment of acne. With the recent interest in minocycline as a palliative treatment for rheumatoid arthritis, an entirely different population could be experiencing this effect. If minocycline use becomes widespread as a treatment for rheumatoid arthritis, it is likely that more practitioners will be asked to diagnose this sometimes striking, though apparently benign, condition. Recognition of this condition will save the practitioner and the patient from unnecessary concern and surgery.

ST CASE REVIEW; HUMAN; ADOLESCENT; FEMALE; MIDDLE AGE; PATIENT; WHITE; MINOCYCLINE-INDUCED INTRAORAL PHARMACOGENIC PIGMENTATION; MINOCYCLINE; ANTIBIOTIC; SIDE EFFECTS; TOXICOLOGY; PHARMACOLOGY; DENTISTRY; CASE REPORTS; LITERATURE REVIEW; TOXICITY; DENTAL AND ORAL DISEASE

RN 10118-90-8 (MINOCYCLINE)

CC Biochemical Studies-General 10060

Dental and Oral Biology-Pathology \*19006

Toxicology-Pharmacological Toxicology \*22504

Chemotherapy-Antibacterial Agents \*38504

BC Hominidae 86215

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AN 97471128 MEDLINE

DN 97471128

TI Comparison of serum antibiotic levels in acne patients receiving the standard or a modified release formulation of minocycline hydrochloride.

AU Gardner K J; Eady E A; Cove J H; Taylor J P; Cunliffe W J

CS Skin Research Centre, Department of Dermatology, General Infirmary at Leeds, UK.

SO CLINICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL DERMATOLOGY, (1997 Mar) 22 (2) 72-6.

Journal code: DDU. ISSN: 0307-6938.

CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

EM 199801

EW 19980104

AB Serum levels of minocycline hydrochloride were determined by bioassay in a total of 223 acne patients (123 male, 100 female) receiving either the recommended dose (100mg/day) or a high dose (200mg/day) of the standard preparation (101 patients) or a modified release formulation (132 patients). Sera were collected within 6 h of the morning dose 7-10 days after the start of treatment. Mean minocycline serum levels were consistently higher in females than in males, irrespective of dose or formulation. The differences only reached statistical significance ( $P < 0.05$ , Student's t-test) in the case of the standard preparation at a dose of 50 mg, b.d. Serum levels were increased significantly in both sexes at the higher dosage of each formulation ( $P < 0.01$ ) but there was no significant difference between formulations at either dosage. Variation in serum concentrations was not accounted for by variation in body mass.

Serum levels above the modal minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) of minocycline for fully sensitive strains of Propionibacterium acnes I (0.125 micrograms/mL) were recorded in all patients. In contrast, serum levels equal to or greater than the modal MIC of minocycline for resistant propionibacteria (2 micrograms/mL) were

recorded in only 17.9% of patients on the low dose standard preparation compared with 55.6% on the high dose standard preparation ( $P < 0.001$ , chi 2). Even in females on the high-dose

modified release formulation, 32.2% had serum levels below the modal MIC of minocycline for resistant strains. We conclude that, in terms of achievable serum levels over a short time period, there is no advantage of the modified release formulation over the standard preparation of minocycline. Whichever formulation is used, dose manipulation may be necessary to achieve maximum therapeutic benefit, especially in those individuals who are colonized by propionibacteria with reduced sensitivity to minocycline.

CT Check Tags: Comparative Study; Female; Human; Male; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't

\*Acne Vulgaris: BL, blood

Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy

\*Antibiotics, Tetracycline: BL, blood

Antibiotics, Tetracycline: TU, therapeutic use

Body Mass Index

Delayed-Action Preparations

\*Minocycline: BL, blood

Minocycline: TU, therapeutic use

Sex Factors

RN 10118-90-8 (Minocycline)

CN 0 (Antibiotics, Tetracycline); 0 (Delayed-Action Preparations)

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AN 96-353785 [35] WPIDS

DNC C96-111435

TI Sheet for topical application of, partic. incompatible, drugs to skin - by placing each on discrete areas of a sheet, used for acne treatment with peroxide and antibiotic, or for e.g. sunscreen or steroid(s).

DC B05 B07 D21

IN KLINE, R W; SMITH, J A

PA (CREA-N) CREATIVE PROD RESOURCE INC

CYC 1

PI US 5538732 A 960723 (9635)\* 10 pp A61K007-48

ADT US 5538732 A US 94-226698 940412

PRAI US 94-226698 940412

IC ICM A61K007-48

AB US 5538732 A UPAB: 960905

Medicated sheet, for applying a plurality of dermatological agents (DAs) to the skin, comprising a base of one piece flexible absorbent sheet, contg. (a) a first area impregnated with first solid or semisolid compsn. contg. a first DA; and (b) a second area impregnated with second solid or semisolid compsn. contg. a second DA; in which (i) the first and second areas are distinct from one another on the base sheet; and (ii) the compsns. are both water soluble or water dispersible; so that the compsns. are both released from the sheet when it is contacted with water, to apply the agents simultaneously and co-extensively to the skin, is new.

USE - The sheet is used by moistening, either by contact with wet skin, or moistened by the user and applied immediately. The compsns. used for each must be anhydrous. Although useful for applying any combination of cosmetic and/or pharmaceutical agents to the skin, the sectored sheet is of partic. value for agents incompatible physically or chemically. Such a pair is that used for treatment of acne, with a peroxide, e.g. benzoyl peroxide (BPO), and an antibiotic, e.g., erythromycin, clindamycin, tetracycline, mecloxycline, or their salts. Other skin disorders, for which incompatible agents may be used, are dermatitis, insect bites, nappy rash, sunburn, or other burns. Pairs for these include antibiotic or peroxide with a keratolytic agent, e.g., salicylic or azelaic acid or their mixts., retinoic acid and a moisturising agent to counteract the drying and scaling effects of the acid, and/or a sunscreen, both the above of value in

acne treatment; and steroids, esp. corticosteroids, with antihistamine, antifungal, antibiotic, and/or sunscreen agents, for treatment of other dermatoses, including chronic neurodermatitis, nummular or atopic dermatitis, psoriasis, eczema, poison plant rashes, insects bites, and rashes due to cosmetics, jewellery, or detergents. Other agents, which are added to the formulations, include emollient and film forming polymer types.

ADVANTAGE - The sheet eliminates the difficulties in dispensing incompatible drugs, including multiple packaging, risks of spillage in mixing, prompt use after mixing, and possibility of over- or under- dosing.

Dwg.1/3

FS CPI  
FA AB; GI; DCN  
MC CPI: B02-Z; B03-A; B10-A04; B10-C02; B10-C03; B12-M02D; B14-A04; B14-L09; B14-N17; B14-R01; B14-R05; D08-B09A

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AN 96-200203 [20] WPIDS

DNC C96-063173

TI Topical acne cream - contg. clotrimazole, salicylic acid, betamethasone, binder and filler.

DC B01 B03 B05 D21

IN BENITEZ, J E

PA (BENI-I) BENITEZ J E

CYC 1

PI US 5505949 A 960409 (9620)\* 12 pp A61K007-48

ADT US 5505949 A US 94-322691 941013

PRAI US 94-322691 941013

IC ICM A61K007-48

AB US 5505949 A UPAB: 960520

Topical acne cream comprises: (a) 0.1-99.8% clotrimazole (I); (b) 0.1-99.8% salicylic acid (II); (c) 0.1-99.8% betamethasone (III); (d) 0.1-99.7% binder comprising pectin, protein or chitin; (e) 0.1-99.7% filler comprising petroleum jelly, vegetable oil, animal oil or natural oil.

USE - The compsn. is used to treat skin disorders such as acne vulgaris, other acneiform dermal disorders, e.g. preadolescent acne, acne rosacea, premenstrual acne, acne venenata, acne cosmetica, pomade acne, acne detergicans, acne cosmetica, acne excoriée, gram negative acne, steroid acne, acne conglobata or nodulocystic acne. It may also be used for topical treatment of other types of acneiform dermal disorders, e.g. perioral dermatitis, seborrheic dermatitis in the presence of acne, gram negative folliculitis, sebaceous gland dysfunction, hidradenitis suppurativa, pseudo-folliculitis barbae or folliculitis. The compsns. are keratolytic and bacteriostatic partic. towards Propionibacterium acnes. They are also antiseptic, bactericidal and antifungal and are active in the treatment and redn. in the number of comedos. They are also used to treat cutaneous ulcers, warts and dyskeratinisation.

ADVANTAGE - The compsns. have improved anti-acne activity which are not irritating. The compsns. are stable and well tolerated without producing bacterial resistance. The compsn. avoids undesirable side effects encountered with prior art oral antibiotics such as diarrhoea, abdominal cramps, nausea, vomiting, drug eruptions, photosensitivity, blood dyscrasias (e.g. depression of red and white blood cell count), drug induced hepatitis (elevation of liver functions) and teratogenicity.

Dwg.0/2

FS CPI

FA AB; DCN

\*MC CPI: B01-B02; B04-B01C; B04-C02D; B04-C02E3; B04-N04; B07-D09;  
B12-M02F; B14-N17D; D08-B09A

CT Check Tags: Female; Human; Male  
**\*Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**  
Adolescence  
Adult  
Antibiotics, Tetracycline: AD, administration & dosage  
**\*Antibiotics, Tetracycline: AE, adverse effects**  
**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**  
Drug Administration Schedule  
Middle Age  
**Minocycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
**\*Minocycline: AE, adverse effects**  
RN 10118-90-8 (Minocycline)  
CN 0 (Antibiotics, Tetracycline)

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AN 96030753 EMBASE  
TI Minocycline for acne.  
AU Ferner R.E.; Moss C.  
CS West Midlands Centre for Adverse, Drug Reaction Reporting, City  
Hospital, Birmingham B18 7QH, United Kingdom  
SO British Medical Journal, (1996) 312/7024 (138).  
ISSN: 0959-8146 CODEN: BMJOAE  
CY United Kingdom  
DT Journal  
FS 013 Dermatology and Venereology  
037 Drug Literature Index

038 Adverse Reactions Titles  
 LA English  
 CT EMTAGS: therapy (0160); sex difference (0040); infection (0310); pregnancy (0030); mammal (0738); human (0888); male (0041); female (0042); oral drug administration (0181); intravenous drug administration (0182); priority journal (0007); editorial (0003); adverse drug reaction (0198); iatrogenic disease (0300)  
 Medical Descriptors:  
**\*acne: DT, drug therapy**  
 drug choice  
 drug efficacy  
 liver toxicity: SI, side effect  
 sex difference  
 systemic lupus erythematosus: SI, side effect  
 hepatitis: SI, side effect  
 loeffler pneumonia: SI, side effect  
 arthralgia: SI, side effect  
 hyperpigmentation: SI, side effect  
**vestibular disorder: SI, side effect**  
 drug contraindication  
 pregnancy  
 intracranial hypertension: SI, side effect  
 human  
 male  
 female  
 oral drug administration  
 intravenous drug administration  
 priority journal  
 editorial  
 Drug Descriptors:  
**\*minocycline: AE, adverse drug reaction**  
**\*minocycline: DO, drug dose**  
**\*minocycline: DT, drug therapy**  
 oxytetracycline: DT, drug therapy  
**tetracycline: AE, adverse drug reaction**  
**tetracycline: DT, drug therapy**  
 antibiotic agent: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 antibiotic agent: DO, drug dose  
 antibiotic agent: DT, drug therapy  
 oxyphenisatine: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 nitrofurantoin: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 methyldopa: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 diclofenac: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 antinuclear antibody: EC, endogenous compound  
 RN (minocycline) 10118-90-8, 13614-98-7; (oxytetracycline) 2058-46-0, 79-57-2; (tetracycline) 60-54-8, 64-75-5; (oxyphenisatine) 125-13-3; (nitrofurantoin) 67-20-9; (methyldopa) 555-30-6; (diclofenac) 15307-79-6, 15307-86-5

L103 ANSWER 8 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 95194893 MEDLINE  
 DN 95194893  
 TI Tetracycline phototoxicity [letter; comment].  
 CM Comment on: Br J Dermatol 1994 Mar;130(3):356-60  
 AU Smith E L; al Raddadi A; al Ghamdi F; Kutbi S  
 SO BRITISH JOURNAL OF DERMATOLOGY, (1995 Feb) 132 (2) 316-7.  
 Journal code: AW0. ISSN: 0007-0963.  
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom  
 DT Commentary  
 Letter  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 199506  
 CT Check Tags: Human

**Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**  
**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**  
**\*Doxycycline: AE, adverse effects**  
**\*Photosensitivity Disorders: CI, chemically induced**  
RN 564-25-0 (Doxycycline)

L103 ANSWER 9 OF 59 MEDLINE  
AN 95311245 MEDLINE  
DN 95311245  
TI Minocycline in the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis: relationship of serum concentrations to efficacy [see comments].  
CM Comment in: J Rheumatol 1996 May;23(5):948-50  
AU Kloppenburg M; Mattie H; Douwes N; Dijkmans B A; Breedveld F C  
CS Department of Rheumatology, University Hospital Leiden, The Netherlands.  
SO JOURNAL OF RHEUMATOLOGY, (1995 Apr) 22 (4) 611-6.  
Journal code: JWX. ISSN: 0315-162X.  
CY Canada  
DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)  
Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
LA English  
FS Priority Journals  
EM 199509  
AB OBJECTIVE. To assess the relationships between serum concentrations of minocycline and clinical efficacy and toxicity during the treatment of patients with rheumatoid arthritis (RA) with minocycline. METHODS. Forty patients with active RA were administered minocycline (maximal oral dose 100 mg twice a day) for 26 weeks. At 3 time points during the treatment, serum samples were collected for measurement of minocycline activity using a microbiological assay. An analysis of variance was performed to estimate an extrapolated concentration at time = 0 (C0) for each patient separately and this value of C0 was regarded to be proportional to the average serum concentration in each patient. The relation between C0 and clinical response and between C0 and the occurrence of adverse effects was evaluated. RESULTS. Minocycline was detected in 96 serum samples from 37 patients. Eighty-two percent of the variance in serum concentrations was accounted for by a model incorporating patient, dose, and time effects. A weak correlation between C0 and clinical response, as expressed by a Ritchie articular index and number of swollen joints, was demonstrated. No correlation was seen between C0 and toxicity, including gastrointestinal or vestibular adverse effects.  
CONCLUSION. Results suggest a relationship between the serum concentrations of minocycline and the clinical response, including Ritchie articular index and number of swollen joints, in the treatment of patients with RA. No relationship was seen between the serum concentrations of minocycline and its toxicity.  
CT Check Tags: Female; Human; Male; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't  
Adult  
Aged  
\*Arthritis, Rheumatoid: DT, drug therapy  
Dose-Response Relationship, Drug  
Double-Blind Method  
Middle Age  
Minocycline: AE, adverse effects  
Minocycline: BL, blood  
\*Minocycline: TU, therapeutic use  
Osmolar Concentration  
Prospective Studies  
Treatment Outcome  
RN 10118-90-8 (Minocycline)

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AN 95276338 MEDLINE  
 DN 95276338  
 TI Minocycline for rheumatoid arthritis.  
 AU Kim N M; Freeman C D  
 CS Eli Lilly, Lilly Corporate Center, Indianapolis, IN, USA..  
 SO ANNALS OF PHARMACOTHERAPY, (1995 Feb) 29 (2) 186-7.  
 Journal code: BBX. ISSN: 1060-0280.  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 199509  
 AB Minocycline may prove to be a valuable agent in adjunctive treatment of RA. The use of minocycline is attractive because of its relatively benign adverse effect profile in common dosages, although **vestibular** toxicity has occurred frequently when doses of 400 mg/d have been used. Adverse effects that do occur usually subside after discontinuation of the drug. Currently, the studies available offer no definitive conclusion concerning the use of tetracyclines for this purpose. These trials do show promise, however, and suggest that larger, controlled, double-blind studies with prolonged use of minocycline in patients are needed for confirmation of its efficacy in RA.  
 CT Check Tags: Human  
     Administration, Oral  
     \*Arthritis, Rheumatoid: DT, drug therapy  
     Clinical Trials  
     Minocycline: AD, administration & dosage  
     Minocycline: AE, adverse effects  
     \*Minocycline: TU, therapeutic use  
 RN 10118-90-8 (Minocycline)

L103 ANSWER 11 OF 59 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 1998 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.  
 AN 95039969 EMBASE  
 TI Hormonal correlates of acne and hirsutism.  
 AU Lucky A.W.  
 CS Dermatology Research Associates, 7691 Five Mile Road, Cincinnati, OH 45230, United States  
 SO American Journal of Medicine, (1995) 98/1 A (89S-94S).  
 ISSN: 0002-9343 CODEN: AJMEAZ  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal  
 FS 003 Endocrinology  
 013 Dermatology and Venereology  
 037 Drug Literature Index  
 038 Adverse Reactions Titles  
 LA English  
 SL English  
 AB Acne is a multifactorial disorder reflecting the role of infection, abnormal keratinization and immunologic reaction, as well as hormonal influences, on the pilosebaceous unit. Clinical studies have correlated elevated levels of androgens, originating in both the adrenal glands and ovaries, with acne. These include total and free testosterone, .DELTA.4- androstenedione, dehydroepiandrosterone and its sulfate, and low levels of sex hormone binding globulin. The pathogenesis of acne initiation in childhood has been linked to rising serum levels of dehydroepiandrosterone sulfate. Hirsutism has been more directly correlated with increased levels of serum androgens, notably free testosterone. Underlying causes of elevated androgens in both disorders include very rare tumors, partial or late-onset forms of congenital adrenal hyperplasia, developmental adrenal abnormalities and, most commonly, polycystic, ovary syndrome. Early acne treatment may include topical benzoyl peroxide, antibiotics, and tretinoin. More severe disease can be

treated systemically (with antibiotics and/or isotretinoin). Very-low-dose corticosteroids can be used to eliminate the adrenal component of hyperandrogenism. Oral contraceptives, especially those that contain low-androgenic progestins, can reduce excessive androgens from any source and specifically suppress the ovary in polycystic ovary syndrome. Gonadotropin-releasing hormone agonists, with or without estrogen supplementation, anti systemic or topical antiandrogens may play a more important role in the future.

CT EMTAGS: therapy (0160); etiology (0135); congenital disorder (0315); skin, hair, nails and sweat glands (0980); mammal (0738); human (0888); female (0042); subcutaneous drug administration (0183); topical drug administration (0186); priority journal (0007); conference paper (0061); adverse drug reaction (0198); iatrogenic disease (0300)

Medical Descriptors:

\*acne: DT, drug therapy

\*acne: ET, etiology

\*acne: SI, side effect

\*hirsutism: DT, drug therapy

\*hirsutism: ET, etiology

\*hirsutism: SI, side effect

\*hyperandrogenism: DT, drug therapy

ovary polycystic disease: DT, drug therapy

congenital adrenal hyperplasia: CN, congenital disorder

hair follicle

sebaceous gland

hormonal therapy

antibiotic therapy

corticosteroid therapy

drug formulation

hyperkalemia: SI, side effect

headache: SI, side effect

drowsiness: SI, side effect

**vertigo: SI, side effect**

menstruation disorder: SI, side effect

human

female

subcutaneous drug administration

topical drug administration

priority journal

conference paper

Drug Descriptors:

\*testosterone: EC, endogenous compound

\*prasterone: EC, endogenous compound

\*prasterone sulfate: EC, endogenous compound

\*androstenedione: EC, endogenous compound

\*sex hormone binding globulin: EC, endogenous compound

\*corticosteroid: DT, drug therapy

\*oral contraceptive agent: DT, drug therapy

\*gestagen: DT, drug therapy

\*antibiotic agent: DT, drug therapy

\*antiandrogen: DT, drug therapy

benzoyl peroxide: AD, drug administration

benzoyl peroxide: DT, drug therapy

retinoic acid: DT, drug therapy

isotretinoin: DT, drug therapy

gonadorelin agonist

estrogen

levonorgestrel: AE, adverse drug reaction

levonorgestrel: AD, drug administration

levonorgestrel: PR, pharmaceutics

ciproterone acetate

corticotropin

spironolactone: AE, adverse drug reaction

spironolactone: DT, drug therapy  
 flutamide  
 ketoconazole  
 estradiol: DT, drug therapy  
 etynodiol diacetate: DT, drug therapy  
 desogestrel  
 gestodene  
 norgestimate  
 clindamycin: AD, drug administration  
 clindamycin: DT, drug therapy  
**tetracycline: AD, drug administration**  
**tetracycline: DT, drug therapy**  
 azelaic acid: DT, drug therapy  
 unindexed drug  
 RN 58-22-0; 53-43-0; 651-48-9; 63-05-8; 26264-53-9; 94-36-0; 302-79-4;  
 4759-48-2; 797-63-7; 427-51-0; 9002-60-2; 9061-27-2; 52-01-7;  
 13311-84-7; 65277-42-1; 50-28-2; 297-76-7; 54024-22-5; 60282-87-3;  
 35189-28-7; 18323-44-9; 60-54-8; 64-75-5; 123-99-9  
 CN (1) Norplant  
 CO (1) Wyeth ayerst (United States)

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 AN 95:123297 BIOSIS  
 DN 98137597  
 TI Hormonal correlates of **acne** and hirsutism.  
 AU Lucky A W  
 CS Dermatology Res. Associates, 7691 Five Mile Road, Cincinnati, OH  
 45230, USA  
 SO American Journal of Medicine 98 (1 PART A). 1995. 89S-94S. ISSN:  
 0002-9343  
 LA English  
 PR Biological Abstracts Vol. 099 Iss. 007 Ref. 094154  
 AB **Acne** is a multifactorial disorder reflecting the role of infection, abnormal keratinization and immunologic reaction, as well as hormonal influences, on the pilosebaceous unit. Clinical studies have correlated elevated levels of androgens, originating in both the adrenal glands and ovaries, with **acne**. These include total and free testosterone, DELTA-4-androstenedione, dehydroepiandrosterone and its sulfate, and low levels of sex hormone binding globulin. The pathogenesis of **acne** initiation in childhood has been linked to rising serum levels of dehydroepiandrosterone sulfate. Hirsutism has been more directly correlated with increased levels of serum androgens, notably free testosterone. Underlying causes of elevated androgens in both disorders include very rare tumors, partial or late-onset forms of congenital adrenal hyperplasia, developmental adrenal abnormalities and, most commonly, polycystic ovary syndrome. Early **acne** treatment may include topical benzoyl peroxide, **antibiotics**, and tretinoin. More severe disease can be treated systemically (with **antibiotics** and/or isotretinoin). Very-low-dose corticosteroids can be used to eliminate the adrenal component of hyperandrogenism. **Oral** contraceptives, especially those that contain low-androgenic progestins, can reduce excessive androgens from any source and specifically suppress the ovary in polycystic ovary syndrome. Gonadotropin-releasing hormone agonists, with or without estrogen supplementation, and systemic or topical antiandrogens may play a more important role in the future.  
 ST JOURNAL ARTICLE; HUMAN; WOMEN; ANDROGENS; POLYCYSTIC OVARY SYNDROME; HYPERANDROGENEMIA; THERAPEUTIC APPLICATIONS  
 CC Microscopy Techniques-Electron Microscopy 01058  
 Cytology and Cytochemistry-Human \*02508  
 Genetics and Cytogenetics-Sex Differences \*03510  
 Biochemical Methods-Sterols and Steroids \*10057  
 Biochemical Studies-Sterols and Steroids 10067

Anatomy and Histology, General and Comparative-Microscopic and Ultramicroscopic Anatomy \*11108  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Therapy 12512  
 Metabolism-Sterols and Steroids \*13008  
 Metabolism-Metabolic Disorders \*13020  
 Blood, Blood-Forming Organs and Body Fluids-Blood and Lymph Studies \*15002  
 Reproductive System-Physiology and Biochemistry \*16504  
 Reproductive System-Pathology \*16506  
 Endocrine System-Gonads and Placenta \*17006  
 Integumentary System-Pathology \*18506  
 Pharmacology-Clinical Pharmacology 22005  
 Pharmacology-Endocrine System 22016  
 BC Hominidae 86215

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 AN 94-217562 [26] WPIDS  
 CR 93-295091 [37]; 93-344815 [43]; 95-199549 [26]; 96-019746 [02];  
 96-475721 [47]

DNN N94-171858 DNC C94-098952

TI Co-application of different, esp incompatible agents to the skin - by having compsns on individual pads, used for peroxide and antibiotic in acne, drugs and emollients or film to retain drug.

DC A96 B05 B07 P34

IN MURPHY, B J; SMITH, J A

PA (CREA-N) CREATIVE PROD RESOURCE INC

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PI WO 9413354 A1 940623 (9426)\* EN 66 pp A61M035-00

RW: AT BE CH DE DK ES FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE

W: CA JP

US 5460620 A 951024 (9548) 19 pp A61M035-00

EP 746377 A1 961211 (9703) EN A61M035-00

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ADT WO 9413354 A1 WO 93-US11897 931207; US 5460620 A CIP of US 92-922887 920731, CIP of US 92-986597 921207, US 93-117444 930907; EP 746377 A1 WO 93-US11897 931207, EP 94-903523 931207

FDT US 5460620 A CIP of US 5242433; EP 746377 A1 Based on WO 9413354

PRAI US 93-117444 930907; US 92-986597 921207; US 92-922887 920731

REP US 3889804; US 4372098; US 4796751

IC ICM A61M035-00

AB WO 9413354 A UPAB: 971006

Method for applying (I) numerous dermatological agents, or (II) at least 2 phases of a film forming compsn. comprising a therapeutic agent, to the skin from 1 dispensing and applicator system (DAS), comprising: (a) providing a DAS consisting of: (i) a flexible, moisture impermeable support sheet; (ii) applicator pads affixed in a sepd. array on the surface of (i), with each pad impregnated with compsn. contg. a different dermatological agent (in I); or different phase of the film forming compsn. (in II), with phase 1 contg. a soln of a barrier polymer, phase 2 one or more emollient oils; and (iii) a flexible, moisture impermeable cover sheet, having its peripheral surface sealed **releasably** to (i), so as to form a compartment contg. the pads, which has a continuous seal, positioned inwardly from the sheet edges over a portion of the 2 surfaces so as to form 2 opposed flanges, and (i) and (iii) sealed together **releasably** between the pads, to divide the space into a number of subcompartments, each contg. a pad; (b) grasping and sepg. the flanges manually, so as to **release** (i) and (iii) at least partly, so that the pads are exposed; and (c) contacting the pads with the skin to **release** the pad compsns. sequentially or simultaneously.

USE - The device, is for application of normally incompatible agents to the skin together for combination therapy. Examples are in

treatment of **acne** with a peroxide (esp. benzoyl peroxide) or keratolytic salicylic acid on pad 1, and an antibiotic, including erythromycin, **tetracycline** and clindamycin (esp. clindamycin) on pad 2. Retinoic acid can also be used on pad 1, either for **acne**, with pad 2 contg. a sunscreen cpd. to protect the user from retinoic induced sensitivity to uv light and/or an emollient compsn. to counteract drying and scaling properties of the acid. These systems can also be used for sunscreen or skin moisturising.

Dwg.2/5

FS CPI GMPI  
 FA AB; GI; DCN  
 MC CPI: A12-V01; A12-V04C; B02-Z; B03-A; B04-B01C; B04-C02; B04-C03A;  
     B04-C03B; B07-D03; B10-A04; B10-A10; B10-C03; B10-D03;  
     B10-E04C; B12-M02D; B14-N17; B14-R01; B14-R05

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 AN 93-367912 [46] WPIDS  
 CR 92-331454 [40]; 95-177528 [23]

DNC C93-163293

TI Treatment of **acne vulgaris** in humans - by topical admin. of ampicillin or amoxycillin without side effects.

DC B02 D21

IN MARTIN, N F; ROBINSON, H N  
 PA (BLOO-I) BLOOM L; (TOWS-I) TOWSEND M S

CYC 1

PI US 5260292 A 931109 (9346)\* 29 pp A61K031-43

ADT US 5260292 A CIP of US 91-664795 910305, US 92-883914 920512

PRAI US 92-883914 920512; US 91-664795 910305

IC ICM A61K031-43

AB US 5260292 A UPAB: 950626

Treatment of **acne vulgaris** in humans comprises admin. of a compsn. comprising an aminopenicillin antibiotic active ingredient (selected from ampicillin and amoxycillin) and a carrier including water and a water-miscible alcohol. The combined wt. of water and alcohol makes up 42.4-99.5% of the compsn. The compsn. is applied directly to affected tissues.

Also claimed are methods of treatment of **acne vulgaris** by admin. of the above compsn. (where the active agent is esp. ampicillin). In combination with a conventional topically anti-**acne** compsn. selected from benzoyl peroxide, sulphur, resorcinol, salicylic acid and tretinoin.

The amt. of carrier is 42.4-99.5 (esp. 73.8-99.5)% and is made up of water (9-95%), EtOH (35-98.5%) and iPrOH (4-80%).

USE/ADVANTAGE - The process may also be used to treat other acneform disorders such as steroid **acne**, **acne** cosmetica or gram negative **acne**, or other dermal disorders such as perioral dermatitis, folliculitis, sebaceous gland dysfunction, etc. The treatment avoids the undesirable side effects of currently available **oral antibiotics** for systemic treatment of **acne** and related disorders.

Dwg.0/0

Dwg.0/0

FS CPI  
 FA AB; DCN  
 MC CPI: B02-P02; B03-A; B05-C06; B10-A04; B10-C03; B10-E02; B12-A07;  
     D08-B09A

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AN 94033685 MEDLINE

DN 94033685

TI Successful therapeutic regimens for treating *Brucella melitensis* and *Brucella abortus* infections in cows.

AU Radwan A I; Bekairi S I; al-Bokmy A M; Prasad P V; Mohamed O M;

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Hussain S T  
 CS Animal Production and Health Section, National Agriculture and Water Research Centre, Ministry of Agriculture and Water, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia..  
 SO REVUE SCIENTIFIQUE ET TECHNIQUE, (1993 Sep) 12 (3) 909-22.  
 Journal code: A9R. ISSN: 0253-1933.  
 CY France  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 199402  
 AB Three therapeutic regimens were evaluated in 121 cows naturally infected with *Brucella melitensis* or *Brucella abortus*, using a combination of long-acting oxytetracycline (LA-OTC), streptomycin (ST) and OTC-intramammary infusion (IMI). Cessation of shedding of *Brucella* in udder secretions and absence of *Brucella* in selected tissues were considered criteria for successful treatment. Regimen A (tested on 35 cows) consisted of LA-OTC 25 mg/kg administered intramuscularly (i.m.) every 3 days for 42 days, ST 25 mg/kg i.m. daily for 8 days, and OTC-IMI 20 ml/teat daily for 4 days. Regimen B (tested on 53 cows) was similar to regimen A, except that ST was administered every 2 days for 16 days and OTC-IMI every 2 days for 8 days. Both regimens were equally effective in eliminating *Brucella* organisms from all cows involved in the tests and no relapses were recorded. However, regimen C, which was similar to regimen A, except that ST was administered every 3 days for 24 days and OTC-IMI every 3 days for 12 days, resulted in the elimination of *Brucella* organisms from only 30 (91%) of 33 cows. Before commencement of the therapeutic regimens, *B. melitensis* biovar 1 or 2 had been repeatedly isolated from udder secretions of 103 cows and *B. abortus* biovar 1 from mammary secretions of 18 cows.  
 CT Check Tags: Animal; Female  
     Abortion, Veterinary: MI, microbiology  
     Abortion, Veterinary: PC, prevention & control  
     Agglutination Tests  
     Antibodies, Bacterial: BL, blood  
     \**Brucella abortus*  
     *Brucella abortus*: IM, immunology  
     *Brucella abortus*: IP, isolation & purification  
     \**Brucella melitensis*  
     *Brucella melitensis*: IM, immunology  
     *Brucella melitensis*: IP, isolation & purification  
     \**Brucellosis*, Bovine: DT, drug therapy  
     Cattle  
     Costs and Cost Analysis  
     **Delayed-Action Preparations**  
     Infusions, Parenteral: VE, veterinary  
     Injections, Intramuscular: VE, veterinary  
     Mammae: MI, microbiology  
     **Oxytetracycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
     **Oxytetracycline: AE, adverse effects**  
     \***Oxytetracycline: TU, therapeutic use**  
     Pregnancy  
     Pregnancy Complications, Infectious: DT, drug therapy  
     Pregnancy Complications, Infectious: VE, veterinary  
     Reproduction  
     Streptomycin: AD, administration & dosage  
     **Streptomycin: AE, adverse effects**  
     \***Streptomycin: TU, therapeutic use**  
 RN 57-92-1 (Streptomycin); 79-57-2 (Oxytetracycline)  
 CN 0 (Antibodies, Bacterial); 0 (Delayed-Action Preparations)

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 AN 94074167 MEDLINE

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DN 94074167  
 TI Phototoxic eruptions due to doxycycline--a dose-related phenomenon.  
 AU Layton A M; Cunliffe W J  
 CS Leeds Foundation for Dermatological Research, General Infirmary,  
 UK..  
 SO CLINICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL DERMATOLOGY, (1993 Sep) 18 (5) 425-7.  
 Journal code: DDU. ISSN: 0307-6938.  
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 EM 199403  
 AB The tetracycline group of antibiotics still remains the most successful oral treatment for acne. They are relatively free from side-effects apart from the occasional gastrointestinal upset or vaginal candidosis. Rarer side-effects include drug rashes, pigmentation with minocycline and a light-sensitive eruption with doxycycline. The incidence of light-sensitive rashes with doxycycline at a dose of 100 mg daily, is in the order of 3%. Acne does not always respond to conventional regimens of antibiotics and higher dosages may be required. We report a highly significant incidence of light-sensitive eruptions in patients receiving doxycycline at a daily dose of 150 mg or above.  
 CT Check Tags: Human  
     *Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy*  
     Adolescence  
     Adult  
     *\*Dermatitis, Phototoxic: ET, etiology*  
     *Dose-Response Relationship, Drug*  
     *Doxycycline: AD, administration & dosage*  
     *\*Doxycycline: AE, adverse effects*  
     *\*Drug Eruptions: ET, etiology*  
     Middle Age  
 RN 564-25-0 (Doxycycline)

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 AN 94059822 EMBASE  
 TI Treatment of acne vulgaris with oral tetracyclines.  
 AU Khanna N.  
 CS A64B Nizamuddin East, New Delhi - 110 013, India  
 SO INDIAN J. DERMATOL. VENEREOL. LEPROL., (1993) 59/2 (74-76).  
 ISSN: 0378-6323 CODEN: IJDLKY  
 CY India  
 DT Journal  
 FS 013 Dermatology and Venereology  
 037 Drug Literature Index  
 038 Adverse Reactions Titles  
 LA English  
 SL English  
 AB Forty four patients with moderately severe and severe acne were put on treatment with either tetracycline 1 g daily (21 patients) or minocycline 100 mg daily (23 patients). Patients were assessed at 6 and 12 weeks by calculating the reduction of the acne lesion score. At 6 weeks with minocycline 47.6% of the patients showed a good response, with tetracycline none of the patients showed a comparable response and the difference in the 2 therapeutic groups was statistically significant ( $p<0.01$ ). However at 12 weeks the response of acne was comparable with the 2 drugs. With tetracycline 70.4% patients and with minocycline 69.6% patients showed a good to excellent response. Similarly, at 6 weeks the mean reduction in acne lesion score was significantly better with minocycline than with tetracycline, but at 12 weeks the response was comparable with the 2 drugs.  
 CT EMTAGS: therapy (0160); mammal (0738); human (0888); controlled study (0197); clinical article (0152); human experiment (0104); male

(0041); female (0042); adolescent (0017); adult (0018); oral drug administration (0181); article (0060); adverse drug reaction (0198); iatrogenic disease (0300)

Medical Descriptors:

\*acne vulgaris: DT, drug therapy  
 photosensitivity: SI, side effect  
 vertigo: SI, side effect  
 headache: SI, side effect  
 hyperpigmentation: SI, side effect  
 human  
 controlled study  
 clinical article  
 clinical trial  
 male  
 female  
 adolescent  
 adult  
 oral drug administration  
 article

Drug Descriptors:

\*tetracycline: DT, drug therapy  
 \*tetracycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 \*minocycline: DT, drug therapy  
 \*minocycline: AE, adverse drug reaction

RN 60-54-8; 64-75-5; 10118-90-8; 13614-98-7

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AN 93183445 EMBASE

TI Recognizing and managing rosacea.

AU Wilkin J.K.

SO DRUG THER., (1993) 23/6 (41-49).

ISSN: 0001-7094 CODEN: DRTHE2

CY United States

DT Journal

FS 010 Obstetrics and Gynecology  
 013 Dermatology and Venereology  
 030 Pharmacology  
 037 Drug Literature Index  
 038 Adverse Reactions Titles

LA English

SL English

AB Rosacea, an inflammatory skin disease often seen in middle age, may be misdiagnosed as a late variety of acne. Yet as millions of baby boomers mature, rosacea will become even more common. The diagnosis is usually simple, with characteristic signs and symptoms.

Antibiotic treatment is effective, as are lifestyle modifications. Concurrent control of menopausal or emotional flushing also benefits the rosacea patient. The physician should be able to recognize and confidently manage rosacea and not allow it to progress to the stage of rhinophyma, the bulbous red nose of neglected disease. By that point, oral tetracycline and topical metronidazole (MetroGel) are no longer effective.

CT EMTAGS: diagnosis (0140); therapy (0160); etiology (0135); age (0020); infection (0310); mammal (0738); human (0888); female (0042); oral drug administration (0181); topical drug administration (0186); transdermal drug administration (0285); article (0060); adverse drug reaction (0198); iatrogenic disease (0300)

Medical Descriptors:

\*rosacea: DI, diagnosis  
 \*rosacea: DT, drug therapy  
 \*rosacea: ET, etiology  
 \*rosacea: SI, side effect  
 differential diagnosis  
 acne

food  
exercise  
menopause  
flushing  
peptic ulcer: DT, drug therapy  
**vertigo: SI, side effect**  
phototoxicity: SI, side effect  
gram negative infection: DT, drug therapy  
hot flush: DT, drug therapy  
hot flush: ET, etiology  
human  
female  
oral drug administration  
topical drug administration  
transdermal drug administration  
article  
Drug Descriptors:  
\*metronidazole: AD, drug administration  
\*metronidazole: CB, drug combination  
\*metronidazole: DO, drug dose  
\*metronidazole: DT, drug therapy  
**\*tetracycline: AD, drug administration**  
**\*tetracycline: CB, drug combination**  
**\*tetracycline: DO, drug dose**  
**\*tetracycline: DT, drug therapy**  
\*clonidine: AD, drug administration  
\*clonidine: DO, drug dose  
\*clonidine: DT, drug therapy  
cosmetic: AE, adverse drug reaction  
vasodilator agent: AE, adverse drug reaction  
corticosteroid: AE, adverse drug reaction  
corticosteroid: AD, drug administration  
corticosteroid: DT, drug therapy  
acetone: AE, adverse drug reaction  
sorbic acid: AE, adverse drug reaction  
erythromycin: AD, drug administration  
erythromycin: DT, drug therapy  
ampicillin: DT, drug therapy  
chloramphenicol: DT, drug therapy  
minocycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
minocycline: DO, drug dose  
minocycline: DT, drug therapy  
doxycycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
doxycycline: DT, drug therapy  
cotrimoxazole: AD, drug administration  
cotrimoxazole: CB, drug combination  
cotrimoxazole: DT, drug therapy  
dapsone: DT, drug therapy  
isotretinoin: DT, drug therapy  
amoxicillin: CB, drug combination  
amoxicillin: DO, drug dose  
amoxicillin: DT, drug therapy  
bismuth salicylate: CB, drug combination  
bismuth salicylate: DT, drug therapy  
clindamycin: AD, drug administration  
clindamycin: DT, drug therapy  
bellergal: DO, drug dose  
bellergal: DT, drug therapy  
nadolol  
bismatrol  
unclassified drug

RN 443-48-1; 60-54-8; 64-75-5; 4205-90-7; 4205-91-8; 57066-25-8;  
67-64-1; 110-44-1; 22500-92-1; 114-07-8; 70536-18-4; 69-52-3;  
69-53-4; 7177-48-2; 74083-13-9; 94586-58-0; 56-75-7; 134-90-7;

2787-09-9; 10118-90-8; 13614-98-7; 564-25-0; 10592-13-9; 17086-28-1;  
8064-90-2; 80-08-0; 4759-48-2; 26787-78-0; 61336-70-7; 7460-14-2;  
14882-18-9; 71156-53-1; 18323-44-9; 57657-51-9; 42200-33-9  
CN Bismatrol; Peptobismol; Chloromycetin; Cleocin t; Catapres;  
Vibramycin; Accutane; Flagyl; Protostat; Metro iv; Metrogel;  
Minocin; Corgard

L103 ANSWER 19 OF 59 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 1998 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.  
AN 92118268 EMBASE  
TI Tetracyclines, molecular and clinical aspects.  
AU Chopra I.; Hawkey P.M.; Hinton M.  
CS Smithkline Beecham Pharmaceut, Brockham Park, Betchworth, Surrey  
R113 7AJ, United Kingdom  
SO J. ANTIMICROB. CHEMOTHER., (1992) 29/3 (245-277).  
ISSN: 0305-7453 CODEN: JACHDX  
CY United Kingdom  
DT Journal  
FS 004 Microbiology  
029 Clinical Biochemistry  
030 Pharmacology  
037 Drug Literature Index  
038 Adverse Reactions Titles  
LA English  
CT EMTAGS: infection (0310); therapy (0160); bacterium (0762); mammal  
(0738); human (0888); nonhuman (0777); priority journal (0007);  
review (0001); adverse drug reaction (0198); iatrogenic disease  
(0300)  
Medical Descriptors:  
\*clinical feature  
\*antibiotic resistance  
\*molecular biology  
\*veterinary medicine  
\*drug mechanism  
\*urogenital tract infection: DT, drug therapy  
\*respiratory tract infection: DT, drug therapy  
gram negative bacterium  
gram positive bacterium  
chemical structure  
bacterial growth  
bacterial overgrowth  
growth inhibition  
protein synthesis inhibition  
bactericidal activity  
membrane transport  
cell membrane  
structural gene  
repressor gene  
sequence homology  
**acne vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**  
conjunctivitis: DT, drug therapy  
tooth color: SI, side effect  
bone growth  
nephrotoxicity: SI, side effect  
phototoxicity: SI, side effect  
intracranial hypertension: SI, side effect  
**vertigo: SI, side effect**  
nausea: SI, side effect  
human  
nonhuman  
priority journal  
review  
Drug Descriptors:  
**\*tetracycline: AE, adverse drug reaction**  
**\*tetracycline: DT, drug therapy**

\*tetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 chlortetracycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 chlortetracycline: DT, drug therapy  
 chlortetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 oxytetracycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 oxytetracycline: DT, drug therapy  
 oxytetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 demeclocycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 demeclocycline: DT, drug therapy  
 demeclocycline: PD, pharmacology  
 antiinfective agent: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 antiinfective agent: DT, drug therapy  
 antiinfective agent: PD, pharmacology  
 metacycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 metacycline: DT, drug therapy  
 metacycline: PD, pharmacology  
 doxycycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 doxycycline: DT, drug therapy  
 doxycycline: PD, pharmacology  
 minocycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 minocycline: DT, drug therapy  
 minocycline: PD, pharmacology  
 anhydrotetracycline: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 anhydrotetracycline: DT, drug therapy  
 anhydrotetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 tetracycline derivative: AE, adverse drug reaction  
 tetracycline derivative: IT, drug interaction  
 tetracycline derivative: PD, pharmacology  
 ribosome protein  
 anhydroepitetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 clindamycin: AD, drug administration  
 clindamycin: DT, drug therapy  
 cotrimoxazole: DT, drug therapy  
 cephalosporin  
 6 thiatetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 chelocardin: PD, pharmacology  
 anhydrochlortetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 unclassified drug

RN 60-54-8; 64-75-5; 57-62-5; 64-72-2; 79-57-2; 2058-46-0; 64-73-3;  
 127-33-3; 914-00-1; 3963-95-9; 564-25-0; 10592-13-9; 17086-28-1;  
 10118-90-8; 13614-98-7; 1665-56-1; 1665-57-2; 7518-17-4; 18323-44-9;  
 8064-90-2; 11111-12-9; 59753-24-1; 4497-08-9

L103 ANSWER 20 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 93033021 MEDLINE  
 DN 93033021  
 TI Clinical trial of long-acting oxytetracycline and piroxicam in the treatment of canine ehrlichiosis.  
 AU Adawa D A; Hassan A Z; Abdullah S U; Ogunkoya A B; Adeyanju J B; Okoro J E  
 CS Veterinary Teaching Hospital, Zaira..  
 SO VETERINARY QUARTERLY, (1992) 14 (3) 118-20.  
 Journal code: XBT. ISSN: 0165-2176.  
 CY Netherlands  
 DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)  
 Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 (RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 199301  
 AB Forty-three dogs with canine ehrlichiosis were treated with long-acting oxytetracycline (TLA) at a dose of 20 mg/kg. In order to eliminate pain at the site of injection of TLA, varying doses of piroxicam were administered intramuscularly to the treated dogs. A

minimum of 15 mg of piroxicam proved effective in eliminating pain and swelling at the TLA-injection sites, while fever was eliminated with a minimum of 10 mg of piroxicam 24 hours post-treatment. Rapid restoration or improvement of appetite in treated dogs was also observed after treatment with piroxicam and TLA. Both TLA and piroxicam were found to be suitable for use in dogs.

CT Check Tags: Animal

**Delayed-Action Preparations**

\*Dog Diseases: DT, drug therapy

Dogs

Ehrlichiosis: DT, drug therapy

\*Ehrlichiosis: VE, veterinary

Injections, Intramuscular

**Oxytetracycline: AD, administration & dosage**

**Oxytetracycline: AE, adverse effects**

**\*Oxytetracycline: TU, therapeutic use**

Piroxicam: AD, administration & dosage

**Piroxicam: AE, adverse effects**

\*Piroxicam: TU, therapeutic use

RN 36322-90-4 (Piroxicam); 79-57-2 (Oxytetracycline)

CN 0 (Delayed-Action Preparations)

L103 ANSWER 21 OF 59 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 1998 DERWENT INFORMATION LTD

AN 91-295351 [40] WPIDS

CR 92-398530 [48]; 95-199683 [26]; 96-019737 [02]; 98-031704 [03]

DNN N91-226269 DNC C91-127647

TI Encapsulation of antibiotics in biodegradable polymeric matrix - for chemotherapeutic treatment of bacterial infections in **controlled release** formulation.

DC A96 B07 C03 D21 P32

IN JACOB, E; SETTERSTRO, J A; TICE, T R

PA (USSA) US SEC OF ARMY

CYC 18

PI WO 9113595 A 910919 (9140)\* 63 pp  
RW: AT BE CH DE DK ES FR GB GR IT LU NL SE

W: AU CA FI JP NL NO

AU 9175589 A 911010 (9201)

PRAI US 90-493597 900315

REP 2.Jnl.Ref

IC A01N025-26; A61F002-00; A61F013-00

AB WO 9113595 A UPAB: 980119

A method for protection against or therapeutic treatment of bacterial infection in the tissue of a human or non-human animal comprises local admin. of a compsn., comprising an antibiotic encapsulated within a biodegradable polymeric matrix, having a duration of **controlled release** of the antibiotic from 2-6 weeks.

The biodegradable matrix is a poly(DL-lactide-co-glycolide), having a relative ratio lactide/glycolide between 40:60 and 100:0, more pref. 48:52 to 58:42, esp. 53:47. The antibiotic, present in amt. 5-60% in the compsn. is selected from beta-lactam, aminoglycoside, polymyxin-B, Amphotericin-B, aztreonam, cephalosporum, chloramphenicol, fusidan, lincosamide, macrolide, metronidazole, nitrofurantoin, imipenem/cilastin, quinolones, rifampin, polyenes, **tetracycline**, sulphonamides, trimethoprim, vancomycin, teicoplanin, imidazoles and erythromycin. Beta-Lactams are penicillins or cephalosporins, esp. ampicillin. Aminoglycosides are gentiamycin, amikacin, tobramycin, and kanamycin. For ampicillin, 30-40% is present in the matrix compsn.

USE/ADVANTAGE - The compsn. is used for: (i) subcutaneous infection secondary to contaminated abdominal surgery; (ii) infection around prosthetic devices and vascular grafts; (iii) ocular infections; (iv) topical skin infections; (v) orthopaedic infections, including osteomyelitis; and (vi)

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oral infections, such as pericoronitis or periodontal disease.

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FS CPI GMPI

FA AB; DCN

MC CPI: A05-E02; A09-A; A12-V01; A12-W05; B02-Z; B04-C03; B12-A07; B12-J08; B12-L03; B12-L04; B12-L09; B12-M10A; B12-M11E; C02-Z; C04-C03; C12-A07; C12-J08; C12-L03; C12-L04; C12-L09; C12-M10A; C12-M11E; D09-A01C; D09-C04B

L103 ANSWER 22 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 91267013 MEDLINE

DN 91267013

TI Doxycycline tolerance study. Incidence of nausea after doxycycline administration to healthy volunteers: a comparison of 2 formulations ('Doryx' vs 'Vibramycin').

AU Story M J; McCloud P I; Boehm G

CS Cortecs Limited, Deeside, Clwyd, UK..

SO EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, (1991) 40 (4) 419-21.

Journal code: EN4. ISSN: 0031-6970.

CY GERMANY: Germany, Federal Republic of

DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)

Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

(RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 199109

AB In a randomised, double-blind, 3-way cross-over trial, the incidence of nausea associated with 2 doxycycline 100 mg formulations ('Doryx' and 'Vibramycin') were compared. The original study cohort comprised 103 healthy male volunteers, with 97 subjects completing the trial. Subjects were randomly allocated to 1 of 3 treatment sequences and received a single dose of 'Doryx', 'Vibramycin' or placebo, with a 7-day washout prior to cross-over. At half-hourly intervals, from 0 to 2 h post-dose, subjects completed questionnaires to indicate if they felt nauseous. Data were analysed according to a log-linear method for the analysis of cross-over trials with categorical responses. Seventeen, 29 and 11 subjects experienced nausea with 'Doryx', 'Vibramycin' and placebo, respectively. A significantly greater number of volunteers indicated a positive response with 'Vibramycin' vs 'Doryx' and vs placebo; the positive response frequency was not significantly different for the 'Doryx' vs the placebo regimen. Treatment sequence had no significant effect on response, although a marked first-dose effect was noted; the first (vs the second and vs the third) regimen was 1.5-2 times more likely to induce a positive response.

CT Check Tags: Comparative Study; Human; Male

Adult

Capsules

**Delayed-Action Preparations**

Double-Blind Method

**Doxycycline: AD, administration & dosage**

**\*Doxycycline: AE, adverse effects**

Middle Age

**\*Nausea: CI, chemically induced**

Questionnaires

Random Allocation

RN 564-25-0 (Doxycycline)

CN 0 (Capsules); 0 (Delayed-Action Preparations)

L103 ANSWER 23 OF 59 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 1998 BIOSIS

AN 91:74247 BIOSIS

DN BA91:42907

TI TREATMENT OF SEVERE ACNE WITH ISOTRETINOIN IN PATIENTS WITH

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INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE.  
 AU GODFREY K M; JAMES M P  
 CS ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSP., LONDON RD., READING RG1 5AN, UK.  
 SO BR J DERMATOL 123 (5). 1990. 653-656. CODEN: BJDEAZ ISSN: 0007-0963  
 LA English  
 AB Four patients with inflammatory bowel disease and severe cystic acne were treated with isotretinoin. Two patients had a successful course of treatment without any gastrointestinal side-effects. One patient had two episodes of profuse rectal bleeding that were probably related to pre-existing haemorrhoids. The fourth patient had a flare-up of his Crohn's disease after starting isotretinoin. Patients with severe acne and chronic inflammatory bowel disease present a therapeutic dilemma. Although isotretinoin is an accepted treatment for severe acne, it is reputed sometimes to cause inflammatory bowel disease, although experienced physicians have not observed this association.

Oral antibiotic therapy for acne may aggravate chronic inflammatory bowel disease and systemic steroids that are often necessary for the treatment of this disorder may exacerbate acne. Although in our experience patients with severe acne and chronic inflammatory bowel disease are infrequently seen, we report four patients with this association in whom we considered that isotretinoin was the treatment of choice.

ST DERMATOLOGICAL-DRUG SIDE EFFECTS  
 RN 4759-48-2 (ISOTRETINOIN)  
 CC Biochemical Studies-General 10060  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Inflammation and Inflammatory Disease \*12508  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Therapy 12512  
 Digestive System-Pathology \*14006  
 Integumentary System-Pathology \*18506  
 Pharmacology-Clinical Pharmacology \*22005  
 Pharmacology-Integumentary System, Dental and Oral Biology \*22020  
 Toxicology-Pharmacological Toxicology \*22504  
 BC Hominidae 86215

L103 ANSWER 24 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 90189067 MEDLINE  
 DN 90189067  
 TI Minocycline treatment for rheumatoid arthritis: an open dose finding study.  
 AU Breedveld F C; Dijkmans B A; Mattie H  
 CS Department of Rheumatology, University Hospital, Leiden, The Netherlands..  
 SO JOURNAL OF RHEUMATOLOGY, (1990 Jan) 17 (1) 43-6.  
 Journal code: JWX. ISSN: 0315-162X.  
 CY Canada  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 199006  
 AB Ten patients with active definite or classical rheumatoid arthritis (RA) were treated with oral minocycline (maximal daily dose 400 mg) during 16 weeks in an open study. Seven patients reported side effects (in most cases vestibular) leading to premature discontinuation in one. Half of the efficacy variables improved significantly after 4 weeks of therapy. At the end of the study all variables were significantly changed compared with their pretreatment values. We conclude that minocycline may be beneficial in RA. This effect needs to be confirmed in controlled studies.  
 CT Check Tags: Comparative Study; Female; Human; Male  
 Administration, Oral  
 Adult  
 Aged

\*Arthritis, Rheumatoid: DT, drug therapy  
 Drug Evaluation  
 Middle Age  
**Minocycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
**Minocycline: AE, adverse effects**  
 \*Minocycline: TU, therapeutic use  
 \*Tetracyclines: TU, therapeutic use

RN 10118-90-8 (Minocycline)  
 CN 0 (Tetracyclines)

L103 ANSWER 25 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 90036061 MEDLINE

DN 90036061

TI [Treatment of acne vulgaris. A comparison of doxycycline versus minocycline].

Behandlung der Acne vulgaris. Ein Vergleich von Doxycyclin versus Minocyclin.

AU Laux B

CS Hautklinik der Universitat Mainz..

SO HAUTARZT, (1989 Sep) 40 (9) 577-81.

Journal code: G13. ISSN: 0017-8470.

CY GERMANY, WEST: Germany, Federal Republic of  
 (CLINICAL TRIAL)

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 (RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)

LA German

FS Priority Journals

EM 199002

AB In the course of a randomized, comparative, clinical study, 50 patients with acne vulgaris received systemic treatment with a single daily dose of 50 mg doxycycline or two daily doses of 50 mg minocycline. At the completion of the 12-week treatment, cure or improvement of acne was found in 78% of the patients in the doxycycline group compared to 82% in the minocycline group. The rate of unsatisfactory therapeutic results was 22% in the doxycycline group and 18% in the group of patients treated with minocycline. The results showed no significant difference between the clinical efficacy of treating acne vulgaris with doxycycline at a daily dose of 50 mg and 100 mg of minocycline daily, a fact which has already been demonstrated by earlier studies.

CT Check Tags: Comparative Study; Female; Human; Male

**\*Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**

Adolescence

Adult

**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**

**\*Doxycycline: AD, administration & dosage**

**Doxycycline: AE, adverse effects**

English Abstract

**\*Minocycline: AD, administration & dosage**

**Minocycline: AE, adverse effects**

Randomized Controlled Trials

**\*Tetracyclines: AD, administration & dosage**

RN 10118-90-8 (Minocycline); 564-25-0 (Doxycycline)

CN 0 (Tetracyclines)

L103 ANSWER 26 OF 59 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 1998 BIOSIS

AN 89:242285 BIOSIS

DN BA87:123350

TI DOUBLE-BLIND RANDOMIZED AND CONTROLLED CLINICAL TRIAL ON THE EFFICACY OF TOPICAL CLINDAMYCIN IN THE TREATMENT OF ACNE.

AU HONORATO J; AZANZA J R; SANDOVAL C A; QUINTANILLA E

CS SERV. FARMACOL. CLIN., CLIN. UNIV., FAC. MED., UNIV. NAVARRA.

SO REV FARMACOL CLIN EXP 5 (4). 1988. 397-404. CODEN: RFCEEC

LA Spanish

AB The efficacy and safety of 1% clindamycin phosphate in hydroalcoholic solution applied topically has been compared to that of the **tetracycline** administered orally in moderate to severe acne following a double blind, randomized clinical trial technique. Thirty-eight patients with a minimum of 12 and a maximum of 70 inflammatory papules with no more than 6 cyst-nodule lesions had been included in the study. Eighteen patients were treated with clindamycin and twenty with **tetracycline**. Both groups had at the beginning of the study a similar number of papules, pustulas and open comedones, producing a similar reduction in the number during the 8 weeks of treatment. The clindamycin was found to be more effective than the **tetracycline** in preventing the increase of the acnes and at the same time producing a major reduction in the number of cyst-nodule lesions. The clindamycin also seemed to demonstrate a faster effect. The secondary effects observed were three cases of mild diarrhoea in the group treated with **oral tetracycline** and two in the group treated with topical clindamycin, who recovered without any complications. In summary, the topical clindamycin can represent an effective pharmacological therapy in the treatment of **acne vulgaris** obviating many of the complications which could be brought about by the use of a systemic pharmacological therapy.

ST HUMAN TETRACYCLINE ANTIBACTERIAL-DRUG SIDE

**EFFECTS**

RN 60-54-8 (TETRACYCLINE)  
 18323-44-9 (CLINDAMYCIN)  
 CC Biochemical Studies-General 10060  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Inflammation and Inflammatory Disease \*12508  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Therapy \*12512  
 Integumentary System-Pathology \*18506  
 Pharmacology-Clinical Pharmacology \*22005  
 Pharmacology-Integumentary System, Dental and Oral Biology \*22020  
 Toxicology-Pharmacological Toxicology \*22504  
 Medical and Clinical Microbiology-Bacteriology \*36002  
 Chemotherapy-Antibacterial Agents \*38504  
 BC Bacteria-Unspecified 04000  
 Hominidae 86215

L103 ANSWER 27 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 88273719 MEDLINE

DN 88273719

TI A double-blind, multiple-dose, placebo-controlled, cross-over study to compare the incidence of gastrointestinal complaints in healthy subjects given Doryx R and Vibramycin R.

AU Berger R S

CS Department of Medicine, University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick.

SO JOURNAL OF CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, (1988 Apr) 28 (4) 367-70.  
 Journal code: HT9. ISSN: 0091-2700.

CY United States

DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)

(CONTROLLED CLINICAL TRIAL)

Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 198810

AB Ninety-eight healthy subjects completed a double-blind, placebo-controlled, multiple-dose cross-over study to compare the incidence of gastrointestinal side effects of Doryx (Parke-Davis, Morris Plains, NJ) capsules (enteric-coated doxycycline hydiate pellets) and Vibramycin (Pfizer, New York, NY) capsules (doxycycline hydiate powder). Doryx produced statistically significantly fewer episodes of nausea, vomiting, stomach of abdominal discomfort, and

decreased appetite than did Vibramycin. For every symptom, Vibramycin produced statistically significantly more symptom reports than did placebo. Although Doryx produced significantly more reports of nausea than did placebo, there was no significant difference for the other symptoms. Based on these results, Doryx is superior to Vibramycin when considering the incidence of gastrointestinal side effects.

CT Check Tags: Female; Human; Male; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't

Adolescence

Adult

Capsules

Double-Blind Method

\*Doxycycline: AA, analogs & derivatives

Doxycycline: AD, administration & dosage

Doxycycline: AE, adverse effects

Doxycycline: PD, pharmacology

Doxycycline: TU, therapeutic use

\*Nausea: CI, chemically induced

Placebos

Tablets, Enteric-Coated

\*Vomiting: CI, chemically induced

RN 24390-14-5 (doxycycline hydiate); 564-25-0 (Doxycycline)

CN 0 (Capsules); 0 (Placebos); 0 (Tablets, Enteric-Coated)

L103 ANSWER 28 OF 59 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 1998 DERWENT INFORMATION LTD

AN 87-322240 [46] WPIDS

CR 89-139497 [19]

DNC C87-137315

TI New antibiotic retinoic acid ester(s) with anti-acne activity - are ester(s) of erythromycin, lincomycin or clindamycin with all-trans- or 13-cis-retinoic acid.

DC B03

IN DUPUIS, D; PHILIPPE, M; ROUGIER, A; SEBAG, H; PHILIPPE, N  
PA (OREA) L'OREAL SA

CYC 13

PI DE 3714937 A 871112 (8746)\* 11 pp  
GB 2191483 A 871216 (8750)  
NL 8701054 A 871201 (8801)  
SE 8701845 A 871107 (8801)  
FR 2598420 A 871113 (8802)  
NO 8701870 A 871130 (8802)  
JP 62289593 A 871216 (8805)  
DK 8702293 A 871107 (8807)  
ES 2006478 A 890501 (8943)  
GB 2191483 B 900530 (9022)  
CH 674847 A 900731 (9033)  
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DK 169345 B 941010 (9439) C07H017-08  
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DE 3714937 C2 980226 (9812) 13 pp C07H017-08

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NL 8701054 A NL 87-1054 870504; FR 2598420 A FR 86-6528 860506; JP  
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1300131 C CA 87-536348 870505; BE 1004152 A4 BE 87-486 870506; SE  
470379 B SE 87-1845 870505; DK 169345 B DK 87-2293 870505; JP  
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JP 62289593

PRAI FR 86-6528 860506

IC ICM C07H000-00; C07H015-16; C07H015-26; C07H017-08

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ICS A61K007-00; A61K007-48; A61K031-70; A61K031-71; C07C175-00;  
C07C405-00

AB DE 3714937 A UPAB: 970502

All-trans-retinoic acid and 13-cis-retinoic acid esters of erythromycin, lincomycin and clindamycin and mixtures and salts of these esters, are new.

Pref. esters are of erythromycin A in which the 2'-hydroxy group is esterified, and esters of clindamycin and linco -mycin in which the 3-hydroxy group is esterified.

Specifically claimed cpds are 2'-o-(all-trans-retinoyl) erythromycin A; 2'-O-(13-cis-retinoyl) erythromycin A; 3-O-(13-cis-retinoyl) clncomycin; 3-O-(all-trans-retincyl) clindamycin; and 3-O-(13-cis-retinoyl) clindamycin.

USE/ADVANTAGE - The new esters contain the antimicrobial effects of the antibiotic component with the antiproliferative effect of the retinoic acid component. They have specific antimicrobial activity against Propionibacterium acnes (including resistant strains) but only weak activity against other cutaneous microagamisms such as Staphylococcus epidermidis. They are better tolerated by the skin and less toxic **orally** than simple mixtures of **antibiotics** and retinoic acids, and their lipophitic character gives improved cutaneous penetration. The esters can be used for the treatment of **acne**, infectious dermatoses, and as potential anti-seborrhoea agents. The esters also have antitumour activity.

Dwg.0/0

FS CPI

FA AB; DCN

MC CPI: B02-C; B02-E; B02-L; B03-A; B12-A07; B12-G07

L103 ANSWER 29 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 87138612 MEDLINE

DN 87138612

TI Evolution of a strategy for the treatment of acne.

AU Cunliffe W J

SO JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF DERMATOLOGY, (1987 Mar) 16 (3 Pt 1) 591-9. Ref: 40

Journal code: HVG. ISSN: 0190-9622.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

General Review; (REVIEW)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 198706

AB The management of skin disease may differ in different parts of the world, but in most countries, acne should be a most treatable disease. Acne therapy has not evolved in the most logical fashion, but this article reviews our demonstration of risk factors in the treatment of acne. Young patients, male patients, truncal acne, a marked seborrhea, and a low dose (500 mg/day or less) of tetracycline are factors associated with a poorer response and, when oral therapy is stopped, a greater relapse rate. One gram a day of tetracycline, given for 6 months, is the minimum course of oral therapy and should be given along with topical therapy. One of the most widely used topical treatments is benzoyl peroxide, and this presentation was given in honor of Dr. William Pace, who was possibly the first dermatologist to be aware of the benefit of benzoyl peroxide--a fact not adequately recorded in dermatologic history. A small number of patients do not respond well to conventional therapy, but alternative treatments should bring about a successful outcome. Alternative treatments include hormonal therapy (i.e., 2 mg cyproterone acetate plus 50 micrograms ethinyl estradiol; spironolactone, 100 mg twice daily; or isotretinoin, 1 mg/kg). The success of all these treatments bears some relationship

to their effect in modulating the etiologic factors of acne: an enhanced sebum production, increased ductal cornification, abnormal bacterial colonization, and the production of inflammation. Isotretinoin is the most beneficial of all drug regimens, and this fact no doubt relates to its favorable effect on all etiologic factors.

CT Check Tags: Female; Human; Male  
**\*Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**  
**Acne Vulgaris: ET, etiology**  
 Benzoyl Peroxide: TU, therapeutic use  
**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**  
 Erythromycin: TU, therapeutic use  
**Tetracycline: TU, therapeutic use**  
 Tretinoin: TU, therapeutic use  
 RN 114-07-8 (Erythromycin); 302-79-4 (Tretinoin); 60-54-8  
 (Tetracycline); 94-36-0 (Benzoyl Peroxide)

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 AN 86231111 EMBASE  
 TI Drugs for treatment of acne.  
 AU Van Joost Th.  
 CS Academisch Ziekenhuis Rotterdam-Dijkzigt, Afdeling  
 Dermato-Venereologie, 3000 DR Rotterdam, Netherlands  
 SO NED. TIJDSCHR. GENEESKD., (1986) 130/38 (1688-1691).  
 CODEN: NETJAN  
 CY Netherlands  
 LA Dutch  
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 inflammatory inducing agents/Antiinflammatory drugs  
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 hormones and analogs/Sex hormone antagonists  
 037.11.01.00.00. /ANTIINFECTIVE AGENTS/Chemotherapeutic agents and  
 antibiotics  
 037.11.01.03.00. ///Sulfonamides  
 037.11.01.07.00. ///Macrolides  
 037.11.01.09.00. ///Tetracyclines  
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 037.20.00.00.00. /DRUGS AFFECTING SKIN AND MUCOUS MEMBRANES  
 037.33.00.00.00. /VITAMINS  
 038.20.00.00.00. Adverse Reactions Titles/DRUGS USED IN DERMATOLOGY  
 038.27.00.00.00. /ANTIBIOTICS  
 CT EMTAGS: priority journal (0007); skin, hair, nails and sweat glands  
 (0980); therapy (0160); digestive system (0935); intoxication  
 (0302); adverse drug reaction (0198); nervous system (0910); short  
 survey (0002); oral drug administration (0181); human (0888)  
 Medical Descriptors:  
**\*tetracycline**  
**\*gastrointestinal symptom**  
**\*vertigo**  
**\*minocycline**  
**\*skin pigmentation**  
**\*isotretinoin**  
**\*skin toxicity**  
**\*headache**  
**\*adverse drug reaction**  
**\*gastrointestinal toxicity**  
**\*neurotoxicity**  
**\*acne**  
**\*salicylic acid**  
**\*resorcinol**

\*benzoyl peroxide  
 \*retinoic acid  
 \*erythromycin  
 \*clindamycin  
 \*ciproterone acetate  
 \*sulfamethoxazole  
 \*trimethoprim  
 \*cotrimoxazole  
 \*dapsone  
 \*diane  
 \*ethinylestradiol  
 \*akne mycin  
 \*ichthammol  
 therapy

CN Tinagel; Panoxyl; Oxy 5; Benzac w; Benzac a; Basiron; Akneroxid; Dalacin t; Akne mycin; Eboren; Eryderm; Zynerit; Eryc; Erythrocin; Ilotycin; Diane; Androcur; Minocin; Tetrachel; Tetrarco; Bactrim; Roaccutane

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AN 85168740 MEDLINE

DN 85168740

TI Tetracyclines in ophthalmology.

AU Salomon S M

SO SURVEY OF OPHTHALMOLOGY, (1985 Jan-Feb) 29 (4) 265-75. Ref: 100  
 Journal code: VCT. ISSN: 0039-6257.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 General Review; (REVIEW)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 198507

AB Tetracycline and its congeners demonstrate antimicrobial activity against bacteria, Chlamydiae and Toxoplasma gondii. Ophthalmologists can use these drugs to treat bacterial and chlamydial infections, and also for ocular rosacea and similar disorders. Side effects associated with systemic tetracycline use are most commonly related to the gastrointestinal tract and to signs of yeast superinfection. Minocycline use may be limited by its **vestibular** toxicity. Temporary growth retardation and staining of erupting teeth may occur with oral use of tetracycline in children under 8 years; these drugs should not be given in pregnancy or to young children. Topical tetracycline application yields good tear and aqueous humor concentrations.

CT Check Tags: Human; Male

Absorption

Acne Rosacea: DT, drug therapy

Acne Rosacea: PP, physiopathology

Biomechanics

Blepharitis: DT, drug therapy

Child

Child, Preschool

Conjunctivitis: DT, drug therapy

Eye: ME, metabolism

\*Eye Diseases: DT, drug therapy

Gastrointestinal Diseases: CI, chemically induced

Infant, Newborn

Infant, Newborn, Diseases: DT, drug therapy

Keratoconjunctivitis: DT, drug therapy

Middle Age

Mycoses: CI, chemically induced

**Tetracyclines: AD, administration & dosage**

**Tetracyclines: AE, adverse effects**

**Tetracyclines: PD, pharmacology**

\*Tetracyclines: TU, therapeutic use  
Trachoma: DT, drug therapy

CN 0 (Tetracyclines)

L103 ANSWER 32 OF 59 MEDLINE  
AN 84159408 MEDLINE  
DN 84159408  
TI Esophageal ulceration due to enterocoated doxycycline therapy--further considerations [letter].  
AU Delpre G; Kadish U  
SO GASTROINTESTINAL ENDOSCOPY, (1984 Feb) 30 (1) 44.  
Journal code: FH8. ISSN: 0016-5107.  
CY United States  
DT Letter  
LA English  
FS Priority Journals  
EM 198407  
CT Check Tags: Case Report; Human; Male  
Adult  
\*Doxycycline: AE, adverse effects  
\*Esophageal Diseases: CI, chemically induced  
\*Tablets, Enteric-Coated: AE, adverse effects  
Ulcer: CI, chemically induced  
RN 564-25-0 (Doxycycline)  
CN 0 (Tablets, Enteric-Coated)

L103 ANSWER 33 OF 59 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 1998 DERWENT INFORMATION LTD  
AN 84-127087 [20] WPIDS  
CR 81-55146D [31]  
DNC C84-053697  
TI Benzoyl peroxide, antimicrobial imidazole antiacne compsn. - the imidazole being clotrimazole, miconazole, econazole, or isoconazole.  
DC B05 D21  
IN VANBEVER, W F M  
PA (JANC) JANSSEN PHARM NV  
CYC 1  
PI US 4446145 A 840501 (8420)\* 7 pp  
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IC A61K031-41  
AB US 4446145 A UPAB: 960422  
Anti acne compsn. contains as active ingredients - 4-6% benzoyl peroxide (I) and 1.5 - 2.5% of at least 1 (II) of clotrimazole, miconazole, econazole, isoconazole or their salts.  
The synergistic compsn. is able to control acne causing bacteria without oral antibiotic admin..

In an example a gp. of 102 patients suffering from acne was divided into 2 sub-gps. (I) and (II). Gp. (I) was used as a control and they applied an ointment contg. 5% benzoyl peroxide alone, twice daily. Gp (II) also did the same except the ointment also contained 2% miconazole. After 12 weeks the effects were evaluated and in Gp. (I), 8 patients were completely cured, 13 had made rapid improvement, 23 a slight but definite improvement and 7 showed no improvement or had deteriorated. The corresp. figures for Gp. (II) were 22, 21, 7 and 1.

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FS CPI

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MC CPI: B07-D09; B07-D13; B10-A04; B12-A01; B12-A07; B12-C09; D08-B09

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AN 84182422 EMBASE

TI Treatment of male fertility disturbances. Current concepts.  
AU Schill W.B.; Michalopoulos M.  
CS Department of Dermatology, Andrology Unit, University of Munich,  
Munich, Germany, Federal Republic of  
SO DRUGS, (1984) 28/3 (263-280).  
CODEN: DRUGAY  
CY Australia  
LA English  
AB Medical therapy of male infertility aims to improve or normalise the fertility status of a subfertile patient. However, this can be a frustrating task due to limited knowledge about the pathophysiology of male reproductive functions, and the fact that pharmacological therapy is mainly empirical and less often specific. Nevertheless, the spectrum of treatment approaches has increased within the last decade and comprises hormonal and non-hormonal compounds. Hormonal therapy is performed with antioestrogens (clomiphene, tamoxifen), gonadotrophin-releasing hormone (GnRH), prolactin inhibitors (bromocriptine), gonadotrophins (hMG, hCG), androgens (testosterone, mesterolone), and testosterone aromatase inhibitors (testolactone). Tissue hormone-releasing proteases (kallikrein) can also be applied, liberating kinins as mediator substances with different effects at the cellular level. Non-hormonal therapy includes improvement of testicular microcirculation by oxpentifylline, antimicrobial and anti-inflammatory agents, drugs to improve or allow emission and ejaculation, and psychotropic and antispasmodic drugs to diminish functional disturbances induced by emotional stress. Treatment schedules are either specifically or empirically based. If treatment is based on a pathophysiological concept which implies strong patient selection, success of treatment is excellent. In contrast, despite an increased number of compounds, empirically based therapies remain unpredictable and the results are moderate and often not reproducible. However, when different drugs are compared with a placebo group in selected well-controlled patients with idiopathic normogonadotrophic oligozoospermia, pregnancy rates will be in the range of 30 to 40% within an observation period of 1 year, as compared with the spontaneous conception rate of between 10 and 20%.  
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037.01.02.01.01. //Sympathetic drugs/Sympatholytics (adrenolytics)/Alpha adrenergic blockers  
037.01.02.02.01. ///Sympathomimetics (adrenergics)/Alpha adrenergic stimulants  
037.03.01.01.00. /PSYCHOTROPIC DRUGS/Antidepressants/MAO inhibitors  
037.03.01.02.00. ///Tricyclic antidepressants/Tricyclic antidepressants  
037.03.05.00.00. //Tranquilizers  
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stimulants

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037.09.04.01.00. //Sex hormones and analogs/Androgens

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037.11.01.07.00. ///Macrolides

037.11.01.09.00. ///Tetracyclines

037.11.04.00.00. //Antiprotozoal drugs

037.15.03.00.00. /ANTINEOPLASTIC DRUGS AND CARCINOGENICS/Antimetabolites

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037.24.04.00.00. /ANTISERA, TOXOIDS AND VACCINES/Immunosuppressants

037.27.02.00.00. /DRUGS AFFECTING THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM/Bronchodilators

037.34.01.00.00. /ENZYMES, COENZYMES, INHIBITORS AND SUBSTRATES/Enzymes and coenzymes

037.34.02.00.00. //Enzyme inhibitors

037.38.00.00.00. /PLACEBOS

038.41.02.00.00. Adverse Reactions Titles/HORMONES/Sex hormones, anabolic hormones and related drugs

CT EMTAGS: breast (0985); skin, hair, nails and sweat glands (0980); therapy (0160); adverse drug reaction (0198); peripheral vascular system (0923); endocrine system (0970); review (0001); human (0888); male genital system (0956); enzyme (0990)

Medical Descriptors:

\*clomifene

\*vertigo

\*nausea

\*libido

\*gynecomastia

\*chorionic gonadotropin

\*acne

\*testosterone

\*kallikrein

\*pharmacotherapy

\*adverse drug reaction

\*microcirculation

\*hypogonadotropic hypogonadism

\*male infertility

\*hormone

\*antiinflammatory agent

\*pentoxifylline

\*psychotropic agent

\*spasmolytic agent

\*phenylpropanolamine

\*phentolamine

\*midodrine

\*caffeine

\*penicillin g

\*gonadorelin  
\*theophylline  
\*probenecid  
\*tamoxifen  
\*pentoxyfylline  
\*metronidazole  
\*bromocriptine  
**\*tetracycline**  
\*indometacin  
\*doxycycline  
\*acetylsalicylic acid  
\*testolactone  
\*minocycline  
\*ibuprofen  
\*mesterolone  
\*cotrimoxazole  
\*naproxen  
\*erythromycin  
\*imipramine  
\*azathioprine  
\*human menopausal gonadotropin  
\*ampicillin  
\*prednisolone  
\*luteinizing hormone  
\*thiamphenicol  
\*metacycline  
antiestrogen agent  
androgenic agent  
aromatase  
enzyme inhibition  
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brompheniramine  
amitriptyline  
diazepam  
phenelzine

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AN 83249790 EMBASE  
TI Antibiotic and anti-inflammatory therapy of acne.  
AU Reisner R.M.  
CS Dermatol. Serv., VA Wadsworth Med. Cent., Los Angeles, CA 90073,  
United States  
SO DERMATOL. CLIN., (1983) 1/3 (385-397).  
CODEN: DRMCJ  
CY United States  
LA English  
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agents/Antiinflammatory drugs  
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SYSTEMS/Corticosteroids/Glucocorticoids

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 037.11.01.05.01. ///Beta-lactam antibiotics/Penicillins  
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 037.28.01.00.00. /DRUGS AFFECTING THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM/Antacids  
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 037.38.00.00.00. /PLACEBOS

038.27.00.00.00. Adverse Reactions Titles/ANTIBIOTICS  
 CT EMTAGS: intoxication (0302); digestive system (0935); drug comparison (0196); therapy (0160); adverse drug reaction (0198); nervous system (0910); auditory system (0916); skin, hair, nails and sweat glands (0980); review (0001); human (0888)

Medical Descriptors:

- \***tetracycline**
- \*phototoxicity
- \***vertigo**
- \*gastrointestinal symptom
- \*candidiasis
- \*minocycline
- \*intracranial hypertension
- \*teratogenesis
- \*drug interaction
- \*drug comparison
- \*pharmacotherapy
- \*adverse drug reaction
- \*chemical teratogenesis
- \*gastrointestinal toxicity
- \*neurotoxicity
- \*ototoxicity
- \*skin toxicity
- \*antibiotic agent
- \***acne vulgaris**
- \*corticosteroid
- \*corynebacterium acnes
- \*clindamycin
- \*placebo
- \*erythromycin
- \*penicillin g
- \*dapsone
- \*sulfapyridine
- \*isotretinoin
- \*prednisone
- \*benoxaprofen
- \*acetylsalicylic acid
- \*aluminum magnesium hydroxide
- \*naproxen
- \*ibuprofen
- therapy

CN Aspirin; Ascriptin ad

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AN 83014827 EMBASE

TI Efficacy of minocycline compared with tetracycline in treatment of acne vulgaris.

AU Hubbell C.G.; Hobbs E.R.; Rist T.; White J.W. Jr.

CS Wilford Hall USAF Med. Cent., Lackland AFB, San Antonio, TX, United States

SO ARCH. DERMATOL., (1982) 118/12 (989-992).

CODEN: ARDEAC

CY United States  
 LA English  
 AB A double-blind evaluation of the efficacy and safety of minocycline hydrochloride and tetracycline hydrochloride was conducted and completed using 49 patients with Pillsbury grade 2 or grade 3 acne. For six months, half of the patients received minocycline and half received tetracycline. Although the differences between treatment groups were not statistically significant at any evaluation, more patients treated with minocycline reached and maintained a noninflammatory acne status in less time than did patients treated with tetracycline. After six weeks, twice as many patients in the group treated with minocycline had reached noninflammatory status. Side effects reported by 17 patients were equally distributed between treatment groups. No notable abnormalities were observed in the results of blood chemistry studies, hematologic tests, quantitative serum immunoglobulin determinations, or thyroid function tests in 20 of the patients examined.  
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 CT EMTAGS: digestive system (0935); skin, hair, nails and sweat glands (0980); drug comparison (0196); therapy (0160); adverse drug reaction (0198); intoxication (0302); nervous system (0910); oral drug administration (0181); human (0888); controlled study (0197); clinical article (0152)  
 Medical Descriptors:  
 \*drug comparison  
 \*pharmacotherapy  
 \*drug efficacy  
 \*adverse drug reaction  
 \*drug safety  
 \*gastrointestinal toxicity  
 \*neurotoxicity  
 \*acne vulgaris  
 \*minocycline  
 \*gastrointestinal symptom  
 \*tetracycline  
 \*headache  
 \*vertigo  
 \*pruritus  
 therapy

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AN 82254972 EMBASE  
 TI The treatment of acne with an anti-androgen/oestrogen combination.  
 AU Mugglestone C.J.; Rhodes E.L.  
 CS Clin. Res., Schering Chem. Ltd., Burgess Hill, Sussex RH29 9NE, United Kingdom  
 SO CLIN. EXP. DERMATOL., (1982) 7/6 (593-598).  
 CODEN: CEDEDE  
 CY United Kingdom  
 LA English  
 AB A combination of the anti-androgenic progestrone, cyproterone acetate 2 mg, and ethinyl oestradiol 50 mg was found to be highly effective in the treatment of moderate and severe acne in young women. Apart from its actions in controlling acne, it is also an effective oral contraceptive with good cycle control, and as such is taken by the same well established cyclical regimen. Eighty-six

young female patients suffering from moderate to severe acne were treated for 6 months with either the combination alone, or with additional oral tetracycline on an open basis. Both treatments were equally highly effective with 85% of all patients showing moderate clinical improvement or better. Twelve patients (14.0%) exhibited healing during the treatment period, eleven of these had moderately severe acne on recruitment. Drop-outs and side-effects were relatively common. Side-effects were of the type associated with an oestrogen-progestogen combination, such as cycle disturbance, breast tenderness, headaches and weight-gain.

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 CT EMTAGS: breast (0985); adverse drug reaction (0198); skin, hair, nails and sweat glands (0980); therapy (0160); oral drug administration (0181)  
 Medical Descriptors:  
 \*ciproterone acetate  
 \*ethinylestradiol  
 \*migraine  
 \*breakthrough bleeding  
 \*depression  
 \*headache  
 \*weight gain  
 \*breast pain  
 \*fluid retention  
 \*vertigo  
 \*chloasma  
 \*adverse drug reaction  
 \*acne  
 \*diane  
 \*estrogen  
 \*gestagen  
 \*tetracycline  
 medical treatment  
 therapy  
 CN Diane

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DN BR24:26296

TI THE USE OF ANTIBIOTICS IN ACNE THERAPY

ORAL OR TROPICAL ADMINISTRATION?.

AU EADY E A; HOLLAND K T; CUNLIFFE W J

CS DEP. OF MICROBIOL., UNIV. OF LEEDS, LEEDS LS2 9JT, ENGLAND.

SO J ANTIMICROB CHEMOTHER 10 (2). 1982. 89-116. CODEN: JACHDX ISSN: 0305-7453

LA English

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 CO-TRIMOXAZOLE ANTIBACTERIAL-DRUG SIDE EFFECTS

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 8064-90-2 (CO-TRIMOXAZOLE)  
 18323-44-9 (CLINDAMYCIN)

CC Biochemical Studies-General 10060  
 Biochemical Studies-Nucleic Acids, Purines and Pyrimidines 10062  
 Biochemical Studies-Carbohydrates 10068  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Inflammation and Inflammatory Disease 12508  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Therapy 12512  
 Integumentary System-General; Methods 18501  
 Integumentary System-Pathology \*18506  
 Dental and Oral Biology-General; Methods 19001  
 Pharmacology-Clinical Pharmacology \*22005  
 Pharmacology-Integumentary System, Dental and Oral Biology \*22020  
 Routes of Immunization, Infection and Therapy 22100  
 Toxicology-Pharmacological Toxicology 22504  
 Physiology and Biochemistry of Bacteria 31000  
 Medical and Clinical Microbiology-General; Methods and Techniques 36001  
 Medical and Clinical Microbiology-Bacteriology \*36002  
 Chemotherapy-Antibacterial Agents \*38504

BC Bacteria-Unspecified 04000  
 Hominidae 86215

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 AN 83:158677 BIOSIS  
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 TI TOPICAL CLINDAMYCIN VS. SYSTEMIC TETRACYCLINE IN THE TREATMENT OF ACNE.  
 AU GRATTON D; RAYMOND G P; GUERTIN-LAROCHELLE S; MADDIN S W; LENECK C M; WARNER J; COLLINS J P; GAUDREAU P; BENDL B J  
 CS DEP. DERMATOL., ST. LUC HOSP., 1058 ST. DENIS, MONTREAL, QUE., CANADA H2X 3J4.  
 SO J AM ACAD DERMATOL 7 (1). 1982. 50-53. CODEN: JAADDB  
 LA English  
 AB In a multiclinic double-blind trial, 305 patients with moderate to severe acne vulgaris were treated with **oral tetracycline** hydrochloride, 250 mg (N:103), a 1% solution of clindamycin phosphate (N: 105) or placebo (N: 97) twice daily for 8 wk. The response to treatment was evaluated by lesion counts and overall clinical improvement at 2, 4, 6 and 8 wk. Topical clindamycin and **oral tetracycline** significantly reduced papule and pustule counts compared to placebo; they were rated significantly higher than placebo on the physician's and the patient's overall evaluation at the end of the treatment period. No serious side effects were reported with any of the study medications.  
 ST HUMAN PAPULE PUSTULE COUNTS PLACEBO SIDE EFFECTS  
 ANTIBACTERIAL-DRUG  
 RN 60-54-8 (TETRACYCLINE)  
 18323-44-9 (CLINDAMYCIN)

CC Biochemical Studies-General 10060  
 Biochemical Studies-Carbohydrates 10068  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Diagnostic 12504  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Inflammation and Inflammatory Disease 12508  
 Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Therapy 12512  
 Integumentary System-General; Methods 18501  
 Integumentary System-Anatomy 18502  
 Integumentary System-Physiology and Biochemistry 18504  
 Integumentary System-Pathology \*18506  
 Dental and Oral Biology-General; Methods 19001  
 Pharmacology-Clinical Pharmacology \*22005  
 Pharmacology-Integumentary System, Dental and Oral Biology \*22020  
 Routes of Immunization, Infection and Therapy 22100

Toxicology-Pharmacological Toxicology 22504  
 Physiology and Biochemistry of Bacteria 31000  
 Medical and Clinical Microbiology-General; Methods and Techniques  
 36001  
 Medical and Clinical Microbiology-Bacteriology \*36002  
 Chemotherapy-Antibacterial Agents \*38504  
 BC Bacteria-Unspecified 04000  
 Proboscidea-Unspecified 86250

L103 ANSWER 40 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 82034707 MEDLINE  
 DN 82034707  
 TI Drug allergy, an update.  
 AU VanArsdel P P Jr  
 SO MEDICAL CLINICS OF NORTH AMERICA, (1981 Sep) 65 (5) 1089-103. Ref:  
 33  
 Journal code: LU6. ISSN: 0025-7125.  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 General Review; (REVIEW)  
 LA English  
 FS Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals  
 EM 198202  
 CT Check Tags: Human  
 Anaphylaxis: CI, chemically induced  
 Angioneurotic Edema: CI, chemically induced  
 Angioneurotic Edema: CO, complications  
 Anti-Infective Agents: AE, adverse effects  
 Antibiotics: AE, adverse effects  
 Carrier Proteins: IM, immunology  
 Dose-Response Relationship, Drug  
 \*Drug Hypersensitivity: ET, etiology  
 Exanthema: CI, chemically induced  
 Hydrocortisone: AE, adverse effects  
 Mast Cells: SE, secretion  
 Peptides: IM, immunology  
 Proteins: IM, immunology  
 Serum Sickness: CI, chemically induced  
 Serum Sickness: CO, complications  
 Skin Tests  
 Tetracycline: AE, adverse effects  
 Urticaria: CI, chemically induced  
 Urticaria: CO, complications  
 RN 50-23-7 (Hydrocortisone); 60-54-8 (Tetracycline)  
 CN 0 (Anti-Infective Agents); 0 (Antibiotics); 0 (Carrier Proteins); 0  
 (Peptides)

L103 ANSWER 41 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 81158819 MEDLINE  
 DN 81158819  
 TI [Effect on the heart of tetracycline series antibiotics and  
 sulfanilamide preparations in influenza patients according to  
 polycardiographic data].  
 Vlianie na serdtse antibiotikov tetratsiklinovogo riada i  
 sulfanilamidnykh preparatov u bol'nykh grippom po dannym  
 polikardiografii.  
 AU Bulatova N A  
 SO ANTIBIOTIKI, (1981 Jan) 26 (1) 69-72.  
 Journal code: 6GC. ISSN: 0003-5637.  
 CY USSR  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA Russian  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 198107

CT Check Tags: Female; Human; Male  
 Adolescence  
 Adult  
**Delayed-Action Preparations**  
 Drug Therapy, Combination  
 Electrocardiography  
 \*Heart: DE, drug effects  
 \*Influenza: DT, drug therapy  
 Influenza: PP, physiopathology  
 Phonocardiography  
**\*Sulfanilamides: AE, adverse effects**  
 Systole: DE, drug effects  
**\*Tetracyclines: AE, adverse effects**  
 CN 0 (Delayed-Action Preparations); 0 (Sulfanilamides); 0 (Tetracyclines)

L103 ANSWER 42 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 80174052 MEDLINE  
 DN 80174052  
 TI Yellow lunulae with fluorescence after tetracycline therapy.  
 AU Hendricks A A  
 SO ARCHIVES OF DERMATOLOGY, (1980 Apr) 116 (4) 438-40.  
 Journal code: 6WU. ISSN: 0003-987X.  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals  
 EM 198008  
 AB Yellow lunulae with yellow fluorescence under Wood's lamp examination developed in a patient treated with a high-dose tetracycline hydrochloride regimen for cystic acne after one month of therapy. The clinical findings in other causes of yellow nail pigmentation are reviewed. The Wood's lamp examination is useful in distinguishing tetracycline-induced yellow nails from other causes of yellow nail pigmentation and may be helpful in determining patient compliance with tetracycline hydrochloride regimens of 1 g or more daily.

CT Check Tags: Case Report; Human; Male  
**Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**  
 Adult  
**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**  
 \*Nail Diseases: CI, chemically induced  
 Patient Compliance  
 \*Pigmentation Disorders: CI, chemically induced  
**Tetracycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
**\*Tetracycline: AE, adverse effects**  
 RN 60-54-8 (Tetracycline)

L103 ANSWER 43 OF 59 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 1998 DERWENT INFORMATION LTD  
 AN 79-85878B [47] WPIDS  
 TI Improved feeds for increased feed utilisation efficiency in ruminants - contg. antibiotic A7413 complex or its components or derivs..  
 DC B04 C03 D16  
 IN HAMILL, R L; STARK, W M  
 PA (ELIL) LILLY & CO ELI  
 CYC 1  
 PI US 4174390 A 791113 (7947)\*  
 PRAI US 76-655670 760204; US 76-737456 761101; US 77-766306 770207;  
 US 78-932833 780811  
 IC A61K035-00  
 AB US 4174390 A UPAB: 930901  
 Fee utilisation efficiency in ruminants is increased by **oral** admin. of **Antibiotic** A-7413 complex obtd. by cultivation  
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of *Actinoplanes* sp. NRRL 8122. Alternatively A-7413 factors A, B or C; or the Me ester deriv., or acetyl or triacetyl derivs. or bis(mercaptoacetic acid) deriv. of factor A; or their salts, may be used in place of the complex.

The Antibiotic complex and the separate factors and their derivs. and salts belong to the thiostrepton family; they are antimicrobials esp. effective against Gram-positive bacteria and partic. against strains resistant to other antibiotics. They also inhibit *Propionibacterium acnes*, which is associated with **acne**, and various oral bacteria associated with periodontal disease and plaque formation. They improve feed utilisation efficiency in animals and are growth promoters for poultry. Included in ruminant feeds to provide 0.05-10 mg./kg. daily.

FS CPI  
 FA AB  
 MC CPI: B02-Z; B04-B02B; B12-A07; B12-L03; B12-L09; C02-Z; C04-B02B;  
 C12-A07; C12-L03; C12-L09; D03-G01; D05-C02

L103 ANSWER 44 OF 59 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 1998 DERWENT INFORMATION LTD  
 AN 77-19875Y [11] WPIDS  
 TI Stable topical **tetracycline** compsns. esp. for treating **acne** - with dialkylated mono- or poly-alkylene glycol vehicle.  
 DC A25 A96 B05  
 PA (SYNT) SYNTEX (USA)  
 CYC 1

PI US 4011313 A 770308 (7711)\*  
 PRAI US 72-313431 721208; US 73-413965 731108; US 74-477227 740607;  
 US 75-623871 751017

IC A61K031-08  
 AB US 4011313 A UPAB: 930901  
 Antibiotic compsn. comprises (A) a **tetracycline** or one of its salts and (B) a glycol of formula (I): R(O-CHR2-(CH2)<sub>m</sub>)<sub>n</sub>OR1 (I) (where R and R1 are 1-6C alkyl, R2 is H or 1-6C alkyl; m is 1-6; and n is an integer such that the glycol has a mol. wt. up to 20,000). The compsn. contains <5% water and is free from peroxides and other oxidn. prods.

Used in chemically stable topical preps., the potency of the antibiotic being retained on prolonged storage. The compsns. have good antibiotic **release** and skin penetration characteristics, and are esp. useful for controlling **acne**; the antibiotic may be replaced by any other therapeutic agent.

FS CPI  
 FA AB  
 MC CPI: A05-H01; A10-E08A; A10-E08B; A12-V01; B02-T; B04-C03C; B10-H01;  
 B12-A02; B12-A07; B12-C02; B12-D01; B12-D06; B12-M06

L103 ANSWER 45 OF 59 HCPLUS COPYRIGHT 1998 ACS  
 AN 1977:133788 HCPLUS  
 DN 86:133788

TI Treatment of acne vulgaris  
 IN Skillern, Scott D.

PA Van Aman, Robert H., USA

SO U.S., 2 pp.

CODEN: USXXAM

PI US 4005198 770125

AI US 75-612686 750912

DT Patent

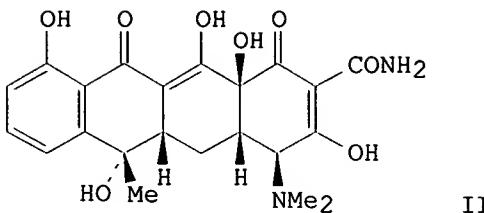
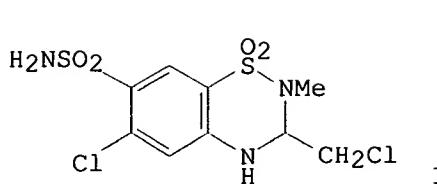
LA English

IC A61K031-65

NCL 424227000

CC 1-6 (Pharmacodynamics)

GI



AB The combination of a bidaily **oral dosage** of 2.5-5.0 mg methyclothiazide (I) [135-07-9] and a concurrent daily oral administration of 250 mg **tetracycline** (II) [60-54-8] controlled **acne vulgaris** grades 1, 1 1/2, and 2 in 90-95% of all patients tested.

ST methyclothiazide **tetracycline acne vulgaris**

IT **Acne**  
(**vulgaris, methyclothiazide and tetracycline for treatment of**)

IT 60-54-8  
RL: BIOL (Biological study)  
(**acne treatment with methyclothiazide and**)

IT 135-07-9  
RL: BIOL (Biological study)  
(**acne treatment with tetracycline and**)

L103 ANSWER 46 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 78038821 MEDLINE

DN 78038821

TI Side effects of minocycline: different dosage regimens.

AU Gump D W; Ashikaga T; Fink T J; Radin A M

SO ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS AND CHEMOTHERAPY, (1977 Nov) 12 (5) 642-6.  
Journal code: 6HK. ISSN: 0066-4804.

CY United States

DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)

Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

(RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)

LA English

EM 197802

CT Check Tags: Female; Human

Adolescence

Adult

Body Surface Area

Dissociative Disorders: DE, drug effects

Double-Blind Method

\*Drug Administration Schedule

Minocycline: AD, administration & dosage

\*Minocycline: AE, adverse effects

Nausea: CI, chemically induced

Sex Factors

\*Tetracyclines: AE, adverse effects

Vestibule: DE, drug effects

L103 ANSWER 47 OF 59 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 1998 BIOSIS

AN 78:148400 BIOSIS

DN BA65:35400

TI A DOUBLE-BLIND STUDY OF THE EFFECT OF ZINC AND OXYTETRACYCLINE IN **ACNE VULGARIS**.

AU MICHAELSSON G; JUHLIN L; LJUNGHALL K

CS DEP. DERMATOL., UNIV. HOSP., 750 14 UPPSALA, SWED.

SO BR J DERMATOL 97 (5). 1977 561-566. CODEN: BJDEAZ ISSN: 0007-0963

LA English

AB With a double-blind technique, the effects of **oral** zinc and **tetracyclines** were compared in 37 patients with moderate and severe **acne**. No difference in effect between the treatments was seen and no side-effects were noted in any group. After 12 wk of treatment, the average decrease in the **acne** score was about 70% in both groups.

ST HUMAN ANTI INFECT-DRUG DERMATOL-DRUGS SIDE EFFECTS

RN 79-57-2 (OXYTETRACYCLINE)

7440-66-6 (ZINC)

CC Biochemical Studies-General 10060

Biochemical Studies-Minerals 10069

Pathology, General and Miscellaneous-Inflammation and Inflammatory Disease 12508

Integumentary System-Pathology \*18506

Dental and Oral Biology-General; Methods 19001

Pharmacology-Integumentary System, Dental and Oral Biology \*22020

Routes of Immunization, Infection and Therapy 22100

Toxicology-Pharmacological Toxicology \*22504

Medical and Clinical Microbiology-Bacteriology \*36002

Chemotherapy-Antibacterial Agents \*38504

BC Bacteria-Unspecified 06000

Hominidae 86215

L103 ANSWER 48 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 76230420 MEDLINE

DN 76230420

TI Topical use of tetracycline in the treatment of acne: a double-blind study comparing topical and oral tetracycline therapy and placebo.

AU Blaney D J; Cook C H

SO ARCHIVES OF DERMATOLOGY, (1976 Jul) 112 (7) 971-3.

Journal code: 6WU. ISSN: 0003-987X.

CY United States

DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)

Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
(RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)

LA English

FS Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals

EM 197610

AB A group of 75 subjects with moderate or severe acne was divided by random selection into three treatment groups. One group was treated with a topically applied placebo liquid and with 500 mg of orally administered tetracycline hydrochloride daily; one group received orally administered lactose capsules and topically applied placebo liquid each day; and one group was treated with orally administered lactose capsules and with a topical preparation containing tetracycline hydrochloride and n-decylmethyl sulfoxide, an agent intended to enhance antibiotic penetration. At the conclusion of the 13-week study and at several points during the study, the conditions of the subjects receiving topically or orally administered tetracycline hydrochloride were significantly (P less than .05) more improved than the conditions of the subjects receiving lactose capsules and the topically applied placebo liquid. However, there was no significant difference between the effects of topically and orally administered tetracycline hydrochloride.

CT Check Tags: Clinical Trials; Female; Human; Male

\***Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**

Administration, Oral

Administration, Topical

Adolescence

Adult

Child

**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**

Remission, Spontaneous

\***Tetracycline: TU, therapeutic use**

L103 ANSWER 49 OF 59 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 1998 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.  
 AN 77045197 EMBASE  
 TI Minocycline in acne vulgaris: a double blind study.  
 AU Hersle K.; Gisslen H.  
 CS Dermatol. Dept., Med. Cent., Lundby, Sweden  
 SO CURR.THER.RES., (1976) 19/3 (339-342).  
 CODEN: CTCEA  
 LA English  
 AB A double blind crossover trial of the effect of minocycline and placebo was carried out on 43 patients with acne vulgaris. The dose of minocycline was 200 mg daily for 7 days and then 100 mg (one tablet) daily. The active preparation and the placebo were given for 5 wk. After this time the group initially given the active preparation was given the placebo and vice versa. The acne lesions were classified in different grades of severity and counted before and after each treatment period to get a reasonably objective assessment. With the method employed there was a statistically significant difference between the active drug and the placebo.  
 CC 013.19.03.00.00.  
 013.44.03.00.00.  
 030.20.03.00.00.  
 030.29.00.00.00.  
 037.11.01.09.00. Drug Literature Index/ANTIINFECTIVE AGENTS/Chemotherapeutic agents and antibiotics/Tetracyclines  
 037.38.00.00.00. /PLACEBOS  
 038.27.00.00.00. Adverse Reactions Titles/ANTIBIOTICS  
 CT EMTAGS: therapy (0160); oral drug administration (0181); drug comparison (0196)  
 Medical Descriptors:  
 \*urticaria  
 \*vertigo  
 \*minocycline  
 \*acne vulgaris  
 \*pharmacotherapy  
 \*drug comparison  
 \*adverse drug reaction  
 \*placebo  
 \*tetracycline  
 CN Minocin  
 CO Lederle; Cyanamid (Sweden)

L103 ANSWER 50 OF 59 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 1998 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.  
 AN 77060095 EMBASE  
 TI Tetracycline toxicity presenting as a multisystem disease.  
 AU Fox S.A.; Berenyi M.R.; Straus B.  
 CS Dept. Med., Beth Israel Med. Cent., New York, N.Y. 10003, United States  
 SO MT SINAI J.MED., (1976) 43/2 (129-135).  
 CODEN: MSJMAZ  
 LA English  
 CC 006.03.02.00.00.  
 006.04.01.00.00.  
 006.13.01.00.00.  
 006.15.01.00.00.  
 030.20.03.00.00.  
 030.32.00.00.00.  
 037.11.01.09.00. Drug Literature Index/ANTIINFECTIVE AGENTS/Chemotherapeutic agents and antibiotics/Tetracyclines  
 038.27.00.00.00. Adverse Reactions Titles/ANTIBIOTICS  
 CT EMTAGS: major clinical study (0150); therapy (0160); oral drug administration (0181)  
 Medical Descriptors:  
 \*vertigo

\*anorexia  
 \*nausea  
 \*myalgia  
 \*diarrhea  
**\*tetracycline**  
 \*anemia  
 \*kidney failure  
 \*liver toxicity  
 \*neurotoxicity  
 \*adverse drug reaction  
 \*clinical study  
**\*acne**  
 \*pharmacotherapy  
 \*drug toxicity

CO Lederle

L103 ANSWER 51 OF 59 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 1998 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.

AN 77015058 EMBASE

TI [Which antibiotics are beneficial in acne?].  
WELCHE ANTIBIOTIKA HELFEN BEI AKNE?.

AU Kurka M.; Orfanos C.E.

CS Univ. Hautklin., Koln, Germany, Federal Republic of  
SO Z.HAUTKR., (1976) 51/2 (45-54).

CODEN: ZHKRAJ

LA German

CC 037.11.01.03.00. Drug Literature Index/ANTIINFECTIVE  
AGENTS/Chemotherapeutic agents and antibiotics/Sulfonamides  
037.11.01.05.00. ///Beta-lactam antibiotics  
037.11.01.06.00. ///Chloramphenicol and analogs  
037.11.01.07.00. ///Macrolides  
037.11.01.08.00. ///Aminoglycoside antibiotics  
037.11.01.09.00. ///Tetracyclines  
037.20.00.00.00. /DRUGS AFFECTING SKIN AND MUCOUS MEMBRANES  
038.27.00.00.00. Adverse Reactions Titles/ANTIBIOTICS

CT EMTAGS: therapy (0160); oral drug administration (0181)  
Medical Descriptors:

**\*vertigo**  
 \*vomiting  
 \*fatigue  
 \*headache  
 \*diarrhea  
 \*anorexia  
 \*photosensitization  
 \*minocycline  
 \*giddiness  
**\*acne**  
 \*drug comparison  
 \*bacterial resistance  
 \*pharmacotherapy  
 \*adverse drug reaction  
 \*chlortetracycline  
 \*oxytetracycline  
**\*tetracycline**  
 \*doxycycline  
 \*norchlortetracycline  
 \*metadrenalin  
 \*sulfanilamide derivative  
 \*penicillin g  
 \*streptomycin  
 \*chloramphenicol  
 \*erythromycin  
 \*oleandomycin  
 \*cotrimoxazole  
 \*clindomycin

\*cosmetic agent  
 CN Ledermycin; Klinomycin; Achromycin; Aureomycin; Rondomycin;  
 Oleandomycin; Bactrim; Sobelin  
 L103 ANSWER 52 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 76135653 MEDLINE  
 DN 76135653  
 TI [On the influence of a special preparation of oxytetracycline and sodiumbituminosulfonates on amount and composition of skin surface lipids in acne vulgaris (author's transl)].  
 Über den Einfluss einer speziellen Zubereitung von Oxytetracyclin und Natriumbituminosulfonaten auf Menge und Zusammensetzung der Hautoberflächenlipide bei acne vulgaris.  
 AU Gloor M; Josephs H; Friederich H C  
 SO ARZNEIMITTEL-FORSCHUNG, (1975) 25 (12) 1944-7.  
 Journal code: 91U. ISSN: 0004-4172.  
 CY GERMANY, WEST: Germany, Federal Republic of  
 DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)  
 (CONTROLLED CLINICAL TRIAL)  
 Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA German  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 197606  
 AB Two groups of 27 and 23 patients with acne vulgaris were first treated for a period of one week with 1 g oxytetracycline a day p.o. In a second treatment period of 6 weeks the first group received 100 mg oxytetracycline a day p.o. and the second group a combination of 100 mg oxytetracycline and 1.2 g sodiumbituminosulfonates a day p.o. In the third treatment period, similarly continued for 6 weeks, the method was reversed. Gastric juice-insoluble preparations were used for the investigation. All criteria for a double-blind study were considered. Amount and composition of the skin surface lipids were analysed before beginning the treatment, at the end of the 2nd and at the end of the 3rd treatment period. The combination of both agents in gastric juice-insoluble preparations suppresses to a great extent the known effects brought about by the substances separately, namely the reduction in free fatty acids and the decrease in the skin surface lipids. The findings also show that the reduction of the free fatty acids was in a limited time observed only in patients treated with 100 mg oxytetracycline a day p.o. if they had been treated in the beginning of this therapy with a higher dosage of tetracycline.  
 CT Check Tags: Clinical Trials; Female; Human; Male  
 \*Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy  
 Administration, Oral  
 Adolescence  
 Adult  
 \*Dermatologic Agents: PD, pharmacology  
 Drug Combinations  
 Drug Interactions  
 English Abstract  
 Fatty Acids, Nonesterified: ME, metabolism  
 Intestinal Absorption  
 Lipids: ME, metabolism  
 \*Oxytetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
 Skin: DE, drug effects  
 Skin: ME, metabolism  
 Tablets, Enteric-Coated  
 L103 ANSWER 53 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 75147796 MEDLINE  
 DN 75147796  
 TI Trial of sustained-release tetracycline in the treatment of gonorrhoea.

AU Silver P S  
 SO BRITISH JOURNAL OF VENEREAL DISEASES, (1975 Feb) 51 (1) 48-50.  
 Journal code: B40. ISSN: 0007-134X.  
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom  
 DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)  
 Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 197509  
 AB A trial of Sustamycin, a sustained-release preparation of tetracycline hydrochloride, in uncomplicated gonorrhoea in sixty males is described. Each patient was given an initial dose of 500 mg. followed by 250 mg. twice daily for 5 days. Of the 57 patients who attended for follow-up 47 (82.5 per cent.) were cured. There were no adverse reactions.  
 CT Check Tags: Clinical Trials; Human; Male  
     Adolescence  
     Adult  
     **Delayed-Action Preparations**  
     \*Gonorrhea: DT, drug therapy  
     Microbial Sensitivity Tests  
     Middle Age  
     Neisseria gonorrhoeae: DE, drug effects  
     Penicillins: PD, pharmacology  
     Streptomycin: PD, pharmacology  
     **\*Tetracycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
     Tetracycline: AE, adverse effects  
     Tetracycline: PD, pharmacology  
     Tetracycline: TU, therapeutic use

L103 ANSWER 54 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 75023914 MEDLINE  
 DN 75023914  
 TI Letter: Minocycline: possible **vestibular** side-effects.  
 AU Pines A  
 SO LANCET, (1974 Oct 26) 2 (7887) 1014.  
 Journal code: LOS. ISSN: 0140-6736.  
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom  
 DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)  
 Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals  
 EM 197502  
 CT Check Tags: Clinical Trials; Comparative Study; Human  
     Drug Tolerance  
     **Minocycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
     **\*Minocycline: AE, adverse effects**  
     Minocycline: PD, pharmacology  
     **Tetracycline: AD, administration & dosage**  
     **\*Tetracycline: AE, adverse effects**  
     \*Vertigo: CI, chemically induced  
     **\*Vestibule: DE, drug effects**

L103 ANSWER 55 OF 59 MEDLINE  
 AN 76009353 MEDLINE  
 DN 76009353  
 TI Minocycline: Possible **vestibular** side-effects.  
 AU Williams D N; Laughlin L W; Lee Y H  
 SO LANCET, (1974 Sep 28) 2 (7883) 744-6.  
 Journal code: LOS. ISSN: 0140-6736.  
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom  
 DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)  
 Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 (RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)



Hearing Disorders: CI, chemically induced  
 Hematologic Diseases: CI, chemically induced  
 Injections, Intramuscular  
 Injections, Intravenous  
 Kidney Diseases: CI, chemically induced  
 Neomycin: AE, adverse effects  
 Nervous System Diseases: CI, chemically induced  
 Neuromuscular Diseases: CI, chemically induced  
 Novobiocin: AE, adverse effects  
 Penicillins: AD, administration & dosage  
 Penicillins: AE, adverse effects  
 Pregnancy  
 Psychoses, Substance-Induced: EP, epidemiology  
**Serum Sickness: EP, epidemiology**  
 Streptomycin: AE, adverse effects  
**Tetracycline: AE, adverse effects**  
 Vision Disorders: CI, chemically induced

L103 ANSWER 58 OF 59 MEDLINE

AN 74028332 MEDLINE

DN 74028332

TI Demeclocycline-induced nephrogenic diabetes insipidus. In-vivo and in-vitro studies.

AU Singer I; Rotenberg D

SO ANNALS OF INTERNAL MEDICINE, (1973 Nov) 79 (5) 679-83.  
Journal code: 5A6. ISSN: 0003-4819.

CY United States

DT (CLINICAL TRIAL)

Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
(RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL)

LA English

FS Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals

EM 197402

CT Check Tags: Animal; Human; In Vitro

**Acne Vulgaris: DT, drug therapy**

Anura

Bladder: DE, drug effects

Bladder: PH, physiology

Cyclic AMP: AI, antagonists & inhibitors

**Demeclocycline: AD, administration & dosage**

**\*Demeclocycline: AE, adverse effects**

**Demeclocycline: TU, therapeutic use**

**\*Diabetes Insipidus: CI, chemically induced**

**Dose-Response Relationship, Drug**

Osmosis

Vasopressins: PH, physiology

L103 ANSWER 59 OF 59 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 1998 DERWENT INFORMATION LTD

AN 72-06189T [04] WPIDS

TI Macrolide antibiotics - for oral acne  
treatment.

DC B04

PA (SCMD) SCHMID INC JULIUS

CYC 1

PI US 3629403 A (7204)\*

PRAI US 69-803994 690303

IC A61K021-00

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**Macrolide antibiotics - for oral acne**

treatment. Cpds. used are candididin, amphotericin B, fungi-mycin, hamycin and trichomycin, which are administered as capsules or enteric tablets.

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